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GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION FOR DISTRICT RE-ORGANIZED

Plans for Membership Drive are being Arranged. Banquet to be Held at Driard Friday Night., with Speakers from Edmonton in Attendance. Objects and Aims of Association set forth.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Wetaskiwin branch of the Automobile and Good Roads association of Alberta, was held in the Driard Hotel on Monday evening, when general conditions in the district were considered, and the election of officers took place.

Mr. C. Smith was selected as president; C. D. Smith secretary treasurer, and E. R. Pendleton, E. R. Rasmussen and Harry Brown were named as the executive.

Plans for a membership drive were considered, and an effort will be made to get every auto owner in the district as a member, the fee being $5.00 for the year. This will entitle him to a windshield emblem for his car.

It was also decided to hold a supper at the Driard Hotel banquet room on Friday eveningof next week, May 5th, at 6.30 sharp, at 60c a cover. Speakers from Edmonton will be in attendance and all car owners and others interested in good roads are invited.

The object of the association is to maintain an organization for the purpose of promoting the interests of automobile owners and encouraging the maintenance of good roads and highways throughout the Wetaskiwin district, and to prepare secure, compile, and publish information which the association may consider to be of value to members of the organization.

Another aim of the association is to supervise and promote just and reasonable legislation on all matters pertaining to or affecting motoring, and as to the right and proper use of public highways, or in connection with any other matter in which the members of the association may be interested.

PLANT FLOWERS

BY WILL HOLMES

The osmosphere is balmy, Robin red breast gaily chirps the song of spring. The sunbeams kiss the earth and life springs verdant. The unfolding crocus bedecks the meadow. Windows are thrown open. Children skip and play and every heart is glad, for the spring is here! Spring, with all the raptures of God's great "Out-of-doors". Its great green earth emerging from its wintry blanket. Its dreams of harvests. It is feeding time. Irresistible humanity, like the countless sucklings pull at the paps of Mother Earth, expecting the nourishing draughts that will come with teeming harvests. How playfully we fondle her bosom, as with plow and harrow, spade and hoe we scratch her grimy surface? And our souls are thrilled with a new sense of kinship. The earth is our mother, we are her offspring. She is our source, our sustenance, and our end. With reverence we bare our heads beneath the canopy of heaven and bend them to partake the blessed sacrament of spring.

We look to Mother Earth to feed us in body and in soul. She gives us bread, meat and vegetables, but she also gives us character, genius, love, and how wonderfully she responds to our demands. "Whatsoever we sow that shall we also reap." o the call of the materialist she responds with the material. To the call of the spirit she responds with things spiritual. Broad acres have been laid out for wheat, oats, barley, flax, alfalfa, potatoes, beets, carrots, beans, peas, and the countless other things that mean food for the stomach and money in the pocket, and comfort against another long, cold winter. For these things we will take all the time there is from the streak of dawn to the haze that follows the sunset.

Hold on! Mr. Planter, is this all you want? Is this all the food you need? Is this doing justice to yourself or to nature? Let me dare to intrude upon the finality of your well considered plans. Let me make a quiet suggestion, a suggestion that comes from another world, through one who sees with different eyes. Let me plead for something which finds no great demand in the world's market. The harvest of which may not occasion the same anxiety. It will only serve to bring you a little closer to an understanding of your great Earth Mother. My secret is this. Let me whisper it for fear I aggravate you with the dream of a visionary. "Plant Flowers." Not just along the edge of a path where it is not worth while to plant anything else. Not just to put in a spare moment. But set aside the best piece of productive land, in a most advantageous place, where you can watch them grow, and forget about the wheat and potatoes. And spend some hours of real valuable time on just flowers. Plant them in sufficient quantity and variety that thei rbeauty may seep into your being and develop in you that superlife that it will take more than wheat and potatoes to feed, the life that is nourished by beauty and the greates wonders of Nature's creation. If there are degrees in nature's work, surely in the unfolding of the lily or the rose she reaches the highest pinnacle of perfection. If there are degrees of quality in men and women, surely the most perfect are those whose natures crave the silent fragrance of nature's highest art.

This glorious west of ours suffers no poverty in the matter of beauty. Long before men dreamed of its agricultural possibilities, the srocus, the wild rose, the tiger lily and a multitude of beauty's emblems spread their gaudy mantle o'er the plains to delight his heart. But we have all come seeking other fish, and this west of ours has become impoverished for the soul qualities that require beauty for their nourishment. The best investment we can make is an investment in the development of our own deeper natures. If our people could be induced to grow flowers, to live among flowers, to appreciate the beauty and fragrance of flowers, to revel in the flower garden, it would tend to drive back the hopeless cloud of atheism that has settled down upon our souls. It would revive a sense of the "Unseen Presence" that breathes with undeniable reality, no where so much as in the flowers. It would endear to us our country and our homes and would enrich life with a new interest and joy in living. When purchasing your seed increase the percentage of flowers.

FIRE BRIGADE OUT EARLY WEDNESDAY

The brigade was called out early on Wednesday morning to a fire in the western part of the city. A barn at the rear of the property occupied by Mr. Cole was destroyed, but the action of the brigade prevented the fire from spreading. The cause of the blaze is unknown, but it is supposed the strong wind fanned a smouldering fire in some debris, and it was conducted along the grass and ignited the building. The financial loss is not very great.

LAND COMMISSION CASE SETTLED BY HON. JUDGE DUBUC

An interesting case was disposed of here on Tuesday last before His Honor Judge Dubuc. The case was The Sedgewick Land and Insurance Co. vs Anderson, and was for a real estate agent's commission on the sale of a quarter section of land. The defendant claimed that the listing of the land given to the Agent had been cancelled and that the sale had been brought about by his own efforts. Judgment was given for the plaintiff for $160.00 and costs. C. H. Russell for the Plaintiff and Alexander Knox for the defendant.

U.F.A. MEETINGS

The regular quarterly meeting of the shareholders of the U.F.A. store took place on Saturday afternoon last. Quite a number were disappointed because N. S. Smith, M.L.A., Olds was unable to be present to explain the reasons for the new legislation eliminating cream testing stations after May 1st. The task of defending the new legislation was shouldered on E. E. Sparks, M.L.A., and Mr. W. Purvey, manager of the Edmonton City Dairy. Mr. Purvey submitted a proposition to the meeting whereby a subsidiary company should be formed in Wetaskiwin and the stock sold to the farmers of the distrct. He explained that their object in doing this would be to meet the wishes of the farmers of the district. It was generally supposed that in a few years a very strong public opnion would develop demanding cooperative creameries and the Edmonton City Dairy would like to be in a position where they could transfer their interests in the creamery to the farmers of the district. On motion those present approved of his project, and arrangements will be made at once to organize the new company.

A meeting of the U.F.A. District Association will be held on Saturday, April 29th at 2 p.m.

CIVIL CASES OF SUPREME COURT

At the sittings of the Supreme Court hold here last week for the trial of civil cases, the following cases were disposed of. Chief Justice Harvey presided.

Dahl vs Dahl.—This was an undefended action for divorce by husband against wife. Judgment was given for the Plaintiff. R. W. Manley for the plaintiff.

General Supplies Ltd. vs Archibald. —This was an action for the purchase price of a tractor. Judgment was given for the plaintiff. A. L. Smith K.C., Calgary, for the Plaintiff, W. J. Loggie, K.C., for the defendant.

Beckers vs Boldt.—This was a dispute as to the ownership of a quantity of wheat situate near Hayter, Alta. The wheat had been seized under an execution of the plaintiff, but was claimed by the wife of the execution debtor. Judgment for the plaintiff. A. Knox for the plaintiff; C. H. Russell for the defendant.

Sharpe vs Hinkley—This was an action arising out of a collision between an automobile driven by the defendant and a bicycle upon which the plaintiff was riding. The accident occurred in the town of Ponoka in September last. year. As a result of of the accident the plaintiff suffered injuries and brought an action for damages. The Court decided that the defendant was on the wrong side of the road at the time, and gave judgment for the plaintiff for $800.00 and costs. C. H. Russell for the plaintiff, and T. J. McKenty, Lacombe, and R. E. McLaughlin, Edmonton, for the defendant.

Plester vs. McCallum.—This was an action for specific performance of an agreement for sale of land. Judgment was given to the plaintiff. W. R. McLaurin, Ponoka, and H. P. O. Savary, K.C., Calgary, for the plaintiff, C. P. Newell K.C., Edmonton, for the defendant.

REV. HARKNESS NOT RETURNING CANADA

The Malvern Gazette, in its issue of April 14th, contains a farewell letter from Rev. A. L. Harkness. Part of the letter reads as follows: "I do not think it is generally known that I came to Malvern largely for the purpose of obtaining inspiration of soul as well as restoration to health and strength, after the strain and exhaustion of six years' missionary work in Western Canada, and it was originally suggested that I should stay here about two years. It was my intention then to go back to Canada for a further term of service. But I know now that God has other work for me to do, and it is not His will for me to return to Canada. . . . I have decided to accept the inevitable and to give up all thought of work in Canada for the present. I can assure you all that I am not retiring to a 'cushy job' in some beautiful village in Kent, as so many have imagined. All Saints', Calley Hill, Swanscombe, is a poor working-class parish of about 3,000 souls, in the midst of the busy factory country east of London."

RESULTS OF THE HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION

Grade XII.—
Muriel Switzer, 71.6
Gwyneth Wilkins, 66.3
Margaret Ryan, 65.2
Annie Goodhand, 60.6

Grade XI.—
Martha Humbke, 80.1
Mina Knowlan, 79.6
Bessie Campbell, 77.3
Ruth Weir, 72.1
Alvina Farnham, 69.8
Rose Reist, 69.0
Gordon French, 64.6
Agnes Anderson, 63.1
Dorothy Walker, 60.1
Evelyn Svensen, 60.2
Agnes Novotny, 59.8
Edythe Bunker, 59.3
Maude Mackay, 57.0
Grace Pelter, 54.8
Richard Chandler, 54.1
Bernice Paton, 52.9
Edna Nelson, 51.4
Pearl Liversidge, 51.3
Helen Dickson, 49.8
Herman Callies, 47.2

In Grade XI. Martha Humbke received the highest average but missed three examinations, and therefore Mina Knowlan should be considered as standing first.

TENNIS

The annual meeting of the tennis club will be held in the school room of Knox church on Tuesday evening of next week at eight o'clock. All interested in this game will be welcomed.

BORN

NEILL—Near Wetaskiwin, on the 25th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. H. Neill, a daughter. (Ila Elizabeth).

ELGERT—At Bittern Lake, on the 24th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Elgert, a daughter.

OBITUARY

MARSHALL BRUCE TAJE

Just as we go to press we learn of the death of Marshall Bruce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Tate, of the Crooked Lake district, which took place at the home on Tuesday evening. The little fellow was aged six years and six months. It is reported that he died as the result of inhaling gasoline fumes, having screwed the cap off a gasoline can and blew into the can. The arrangements for the funeral were not completed at the time of going to press. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved family in their hour of sorrow.

PER J. RONN

The funeral service of the late Per J. Ronn was held on Friday afternoon last at the Swedish Luthern church, was well attended and quite impressive. The Rev. L. Alexander, pastor, conducted the service.

Mrs. Sigge Atkinson gave a well rendered solo, and both Mr. Alexander and Rev. Pritchard of Knox church spoke. The pall-bearers all old-time acquaintances were Messrs. Claus Swanson, Ed. Bye, O. H. Ronnle, T. Beiscalem, C. H. Hallin and Anton Andreason.

The deceased, Per Jansson Ronn, was born in Sweden, in the province of Helsingland, on December 27, 1854. He went through public school, received Christian instruction and grew up to manhood in his home parish. In October, 1876, he was united in marriage to Miss Brita Christine Oldberg, and in 1884 he came with his wife and four children to the United States and settled in Minnesota, afterwards moving to North Dakota, where he lived with his family for some ten years. In 1895 he came with his family to Alberta, and lived first at Calmar, but shortly afterwards moved to Wetaskiwin and was an early settler here, and acting as guide, he helped to locate many settlers in the district. Then wanderlust and a desire for prospecting made him leave Wetaskiwin, and he has been absent for many years, returning last winter. A few days ago he was taken ill with a cold which developed into pneumonia, which ended his life, passing away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. Hanna, on Wednesday morning, April 19th, at the age of 67 years, 3 months and 22 days. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow and seven children, all grown up and residing in Calgary with the exception of Mrs. Hanna, of Wetaskiwin.

The children are: John and William, Mrs. L. Hanna, Mrs. Lancaster, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Miller and Miss Mable Ronn. The deceased also leaves a sister at Bellingham, Wash., a niece at Knob Hill, Alta., and a sister and brother in Sweden.

Calgary papers please copy.

GOLF NOTES

By Brassie

What does it profit the whole wide world
If you cannot hole your putt?
For gold galore won't help your score
Or a ball that rims the cup.
You may shoot 'em fine,
Straight down the line,
Approach like a "Cick" the goal
But what of it all if the perishin' ball
Won't drop in the blinkin' 'ole.
—Webling.

The executive of the club regrets very much that they were unable to make suitable arrangements with the weather man to open the season on Good Friday, and "thus the day was entirely ruined".

However, let us be thankful for the moisture as it will greatly assist the caretaker in preparing the greens.

We predict fine warm weather for next week-end but remember this is not a guarantee. We will go so far as to promise that there will be no snow on May 24th, and arrangements are being made to supply umbrellas for the members who want to play on that date, rain or shine. No rain checks will be issued.

Since getting off the above spasm, the weather man has been real good and several of the chronics have had a few games, and they seem to be able to miss the ball just as often as they did last year.

Good work is being done on the course. The caretaker has improved several of the greens and those that will be retained in the new course have been supplied with the regulation iron sups. Players are requested to set the flag staffs in the holes in these cups and not disturb surrounding turf.

Members are also requested not to drop lighted matches which may start fires.

May 10th has been set as the latest date for payment of membership fees. A partial canvass has been made by the finance committee and it is intended to finsh the work this week.

The Swift Canadian Co., of Edmonton have secured the services of L. W. Scott, formerly of the Central Creameries here, to look after their interests at this point.

DRAMA SUCCESSFUL AT THE MALMO HALL

The drama, "The Turn of the Tide" which was given in Malmo Hall on Friday evening of last week, proved to be a most successful and enjoyable affair. The commodious hall was filled to capacity, and the sum of about $160.00 was realized. The play was well put on, and each of the particlpants took his and her part very creditably.

The following was the cast of characters:

Jonas Aldrich,—L. H. Newville.
Capt. H. St. Morris—Percy Doupe.
Col. Ellsworth—Roy Balthorn.
Herman Clyde—Walter Recknagle.
Jack Dale—Walter Shantz.
Rube Jones—Jack Latimer.
Pepper Mace—Maynard Bailey.
Mrs. Aldrich—Mrs. L. H. Newville.
Susie Aldrich—Mrs. Roy Balthorn
Lillian Lacy—Mrs. C. R. Schantz.
Lavisca Allen—Miss Adah Dickson.

At the conclusion of the play, a tasty luch was served, after which dancing was enjoyed until an early hour, the music being furnished by the Wetaskiwin orchestra.

U.F.A. Sunday, June 18

U.F.A. Sunday this year will be observed on June 18th. For the past few years the third Sunday in June has been fixed as the date for the observance of U.F.A. Sunday. It is suggested that locals make arrangements as early as possible with their local ministers or other speakers for addresses on U.F.A. principles on that day.

In brief the object of the Sunday is to have a reciprocal recognition between the churches and the U.F.A. of the work both are doing toward the advancement of Christ's Kingdom on earth.

WILL PROBABLY BUILD NEW BLOCK

There is now every prospect that there will be a new block erected this summer between the Royal Market and the Burns Block. A contractor was in the city on Monday taking measurements and getting information, and intimated that work would likely be commenced as soon as the details were ratified by the owners, who reside in England.

SACRED HEART SCHOOL REPORT

Standing of pupils for the month of March:

Grade VII—
Mac Laushway, 94
Ada Baxter, 89
Archie Laushway, 84
Margaret Sweeney 83
Zita Weller, 79
Eddie Turner, 70

Grade VI.—
Grace Turner, 83
Hazel Baxter, 82
Mike Aboussafy, 77.
Abraham Aboussafy, 74
Laura Patenaude, 74
Florence Caine, 70.5.
Arthur McGarrity, 55.

Grade V.—
Mary Todd, 94
Dorothy Eltrich, 89
Alice Caine, 79
Angela Weller, 76
Charles Sweeney, 68
Victoria Laroque, 66
Hazel Donally, 56
Mary Schreifels, 53
Willie Seradiak, 38

Grade IV.—
Clarence Laushway, 76
Florence Sweeney, 75
John Moan, 60
Patrick Moan, 53
Wilbur Laushway, 46

The following pupils were successful at the Easter examinations:

Grade III.—
Ralph Oakes, 89
Lilian Caine, 87
Yvonne Bourque, 82
Myrtle Baxter, 80
Dora Baxter, 79
Francis Eltrich, 74,
Frances Caine, 72

Grade II.—
Emeline Aboussafy, 85
Edna Donally, 71
Joe Maguss, 70

Grade I.—
Cecelia Turner
Violet Laushway,
Kenneth Donally,
Leonard Rheaume
Helen Conroy
Martin Eltrich

Class A—
Clarence Rheaume
Helen Laushway,
Wilfred Turner,
Peter Conway

Mrs. C. C. Annett, and family, of Wilkie, Sask., arrived in the city to spnd some time visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Thomas, and other friends.

U. F. A. MEETING

The May meeting of the Cherry Grove local of the U.F.A. will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Newville on Friday evening, May 5. A welcome is extended to all.

COUNCIL TO TAKE OVER PRINCE OF WALES PROPERTY

Alderman Pendleton Temporary Chairman of Public Works Committee. Several City Lots Sold and Leased. Fire Brigade Insurance Renewed. Claim for Damages Settled by City.

The regular meeting of the city council was held on Tuesday evening with all members in attendance.

After the adoption of the minutes of the previous meeting a letter was read from J. A. Brown, asking that a catch basin be placed in front of his property on Lansdowne street. This was referred to the public works committee.

C. H. Russell, city solicitor, wrote respecting the threatened law suit of Lowes vs. City of Wetaskiwin, stating he had just received the papers and did not have time to study the case. The matter was left on the table for further information.

C. H. Russell, city solicitor, advised the city to settle the claim of L. O. Johanson for damages sustained by a fall, on the basis of his offer in letter of April 8th. The amount of the claim is $200 for doctor and $67.00 for hospital fees.

The offer of D. W. Wark to purchase the north half of the Alberta hotel property for $250.00, making a small cash payment, was not accepted.

The Dinant Coal Company wrote re coal contract for the year and also respecting payment for two cars of coal at a disputed price. The secretary will make suitable reply.

The matter of purchasing maps for the city was left with the finance committee with power to act.

Wm. MacCallum applied for permit to move building on his lot, and also made application for water and sewer connection. The permit was granted and the other applications were referred to the committees.

The report of the finance committee on several small matters was adopted.

The sale of two lots north of the Criterion Apartments to C. Smith for $300.00 was ratified.

The offer of Jas. Ryan to lease about fifty acres of land for pasture was accepted.

The offer of B. M. Parker to exchange lots with the city was not acceptable.

It was decided to accept C. A. Morris' offer of $25.00 for lot near his residence, also to lease lots south of his place for $25.00.

The offer of W. Altvater to lease land near the land at the isolation hospital for $15.00 was accepted.

The offers of Moore & Kelner to lease land near their farm for $30.00 and of Lloyd Spencer to rent lot near his home for $5.00 were accepted.

It was reported that one of the patients in the Sanitarium near Calgary had not been a resident of Wetaskiwin for over two years, and that Wetaskiwin was not liable for her maintenance. The department of health will be informed accordingly.

It was agreed that the city lease an ice house to the Union Cafe for $10.00 for the year.

Mayor Montgomery then introduced the matter of purchasing the Prince of Wales property for hospital purposes, and read an opinion of City Solicitor Russell to the effect that the city had the power to provide property for hospitals. He also read a letter from J. P. Johnson & Company, agents for Lougheed & Taylor, setting forth the terms upon which they would lease the property to Wetaskiwin. A general discussion ensued after which it was moved by MacEachern-Cummings, That the city lease the Prince of Wales property for hospital purposes, on the terms as specified by Lougheed & Taylor.

Amendment was made by Liversside and Compton, That a plebiscite be taken by the burgesses of the city as to whether the Prince of Wales property should be taken over or not.

The motion carried, the vote being: Aye—Ald. MacEachern, Enman, Pendleton and Cummings. Nay—Ald. Liversidge and Compton.

L. D. Montgomery, fire chief, presented his report for March, which was adopted. He also recommended that a motor truck be procured, and this matter was referred to the committee to report.

C. D. Smith wrote respecting the renewal of insurance policies for the members of the fire brigade, the premium being $88.00. The renewal was authorized.

The supplementary payroll and several small accounts were passed for payment.

By-law No. 441, respecting the sale of property to Johnson & Johnson, was given its third reading.

Bylaw No. 443, appointing J. E. Fraser, registrar of elections for 1922 and 1923, was read three times and finally passed.

It was agreed that the city will not purchase further electrical supplies to be retailed to the citizens. The matter of contract for the supply of street lamps and supplies for power house was referred to the committee.

As Ald. Cummings will be absent from the city for some time, it was voted that Ald. Pendleton be temporary chairman of the public works committee.

Ald. MacEachern brought up the question of collecting the licenses from the live stock dealers of the city, and after a bref discussion, it was agreed that the provisions of the bylaw be carried out.

The building bylaws of the city then came up for brief consideration, and it was remitted to the public works committee to bring n a report as to the width of foundations of all proposed new buildings in the city.

Meeting adjourned.

INCREASED ACREAGE WETASKIWIN DISTRICT

A Wetaskiwin correspondent of the Calgary Herald, says:

With the moisture occasioned by the heavy fall of snow followed by warm sunshine, the farmers here are very jubilant and have started seeding operations with a vim. A few acres have been sown and the work will be general the first of the week. The acreage in this community will be considerably increased this year, about 30 per cent being wheat, five per cent rye, fifty per cent oats and fifteen per cent barley. There is now sufficient moisture to give vegetation a good start and there is no shortage of labor in the Wetaskiwin district.

FARMER BRINGS IN A RECORD SHIPMENT TO WESTERN CANADA

Winnipeg, April 24—What is believed to be one of the largest farm shipments made by a single individual to Western Canada arrived here on Saturday, when H. W. Sims, of Grand Forks, North Dakota, brought with him an outfit valued at $75,000, for the shipment of which as many as fourteen cars were required. He will embark on the flax-growing industry in a large way at Noverville, Man., where he recently purchased approximately 3,500 acres.

The outfit is large enough under ordinary conditions to break, roll, cultivate, harrow and seed from 160 to 190 acres a day.

W. C. T. U.

A well attended parlor meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Poole on the evening of April 25th.

Mrs. Poole gave an excellent paper on the work of our society, showing how the various departments of the world wide efforts fitted into the needs of the hour, as perhaps never before, and giving many practical suggestions to local unions. Rev. Mr. Irwin, provincial president of the S.S. C. of Canada, gave an address which was an eyeopener to many of us. He showed how prohibition has brought to light startling facts regarding the drug business right at home. In Calgary eighty-five convictions of drug peddlers were secured last year. He also proved that prohibition is not a cause, since Vancouver leads in the dope business with Montreal a close second.

Mothers do you know that the paper and sometimes the tobacco used in cigarettes is doped in order to deprave the appetite and weaken the will of your boy?

We are proud of the moral laws and educational system of Alberta, but we cannot boast until a knowledge of the terrible danger from alcohol and drugs is made a departmental subject in our school curriculum.

A solo by Mrs. Boyer and an instrumental by Miss Mina Knowlan, were well appreciated. Tea was served by the hostess and the usual social half hour enjoyed.

Card of Thanks

For all sympathy, kindness and assistance given during the illness, death and funeral of our dear husband and father, for floral contribution by the Swedish Lutheran Aid and others, for music and songs rendered at the funeral service and to all who showed interest and respect in attending the same, we wish to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks.

Mrs. P. J. Ronn and families.

ALBERTA GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

A Bureau for the City of Wetaskiwin and district is located at the U.F.A. Cooperative Store, with A. P. Moen in charge.

Employers are requested to make their requirements, as far as assistance is concerned, known at above address, and those seeking employment should register at once.

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HIGH SCHOOL PUPIL WRITES GOOD ESSAY

The following is an essay written by Cecelia Fenton of Grade X., Wetaskiwin High School, on the subject, "Silas Mariner":

This book owes its great charm and interest to the fact that it is written with a keen insight into human lives. It is not a story to be applied only to the period of its own time, but every incident and character seems so real that they bring to mind happenings of our own day and people who bear the some traits and faults. The joys and sorrows of Silas Mariner, the weaver, his disappointments and trials, enlist all our sympathy and one almost feels himself in Silas' place experiencing every episode and happening of his life. The story holds our interest as it tells of the hardships of Silas Mariner, a poor linen weaver whose humility and lack of self confidence led him estray far from the love of his fellow men and God. After many years his mind and even his soul shrunk so narrow that the world was barren and devoid of any happiness and he had almost ceased being a man. Then a little child came to him, and linking her bright little life with his led him forth into the sunshine of love and faith again.

George Elliott has shown her genius in writing of these simple village folk as they really were. The exquisite plot of the story is woven about by strains of quaint humor and tragedy which helps to make a perfect setting for the ever truthful moral that without trust in God and the companionship of fellow creatures life is empty and meaningless. Silas Mariner was a young man who lived in the little out of the way village known as Lantern Yard. Here he was thought a great deal of by his neighbors as he was known to attend church regularly and abide by the law of the community. Moreover a strange interest was centered about him ever since the village people knew he was subject to strange fits. Silas had one close friend, William Dane, whom he fairly worshipped. This was one of Silas' greatest faults; he adored people too completely for his own good. The happenings of his later life showed how God tried to give him the opportunity to rid himself of his failings. William Dane, unlike his humble friend, was independent and boastful. Many long talks they had on religion and Silas admired his friend's boastful knowledge with silent wonder. Both men attended church regularly and were held in high esteem by the community. Silas became engaged to a young servant woman, Sarah, and no objections were raised when William accompanied them wherever they went. About this time the deacon became seriously ill and every parishioner took turns watching by his bedside. On the night when Silas watched he must have fallen into one of his strange trances for when he came to his senses the deacon was dead. He wondered why William, who was to relieve him, had not come yet but he hastily called the neighbors in and went quietly home. To his astonishment he was later summoned to meet the church members. Here they accused him of robbing the deacon, and Silas to his great grief found that William was the first to condemn him. One of Silas' knives was brought forth by William who said he had found it in a drawer by the deacon's bedside. Silas remembered leaning the knife to William and knew his friend was false to him. His house was searched and the bag of money found there. Silas was tried by the drawing of lots, the minister praying that by this means God would expose the culprit. The suspected man knelt with the others almost certain that God would prove his innocence but the lots declared him guilty. He then rose, and in a trembling voice, accused William Dane of the crime, but William pretended to know nothing about it and Silas went out heartbroken and full of despair; his friend was false and the world seemed a cruel sham. He worked feverishly to forget his sorrows but could not do so. One day men brought word to him that Sarah considered their engagement at an end and shortly after she was married to William Dane. God had sent trials to show Silas his faults, but he failed under the test. Full of despair and sorrow he departed from his native town instead of remaining among his unfaithful friends and proving his innocence, he took the wrong turn, his very soul shrinking from mistrust and questioning. When he departed from Lantern Yard he went to live in Ravelve. Here God's judgment followed him, for the very things he had run away from confronted him. Here, the people looked upon the quiet thoughtful weaver with open suspicion, and he was left to himself. In his long dreary days he turned to his loom for comfort. He did spinning for the housewives about the village and received gold in payment. Such a trusting nature as Silas possessed always seeks for friends or something to love, and in Ravelve he found nothing but his spinning. He concentrated his mind and soul on this and soon waited impatiently until he had completed his task and received his pay. Having few expenses he spent very little money and his gold pieces increased every day. His faith in everything was shaken and he knew not where to stretch his arms for help and comfort. People seldom spoke to him, so he turned naturally to his gold for it. He never let his mind wander but tried to make his work fill the loveless chasm of his life. Soon he had quite a heap of money and he grew to love it and look towards it as comfort in the long evenings. He hid the money in a hole under the floor and as he worked year after year life grew to have no meaning to him apart from it. He grew withered and bent and his large trusting eyes now were narrowed and keen. But at night came his revelry for he would draw forth his treasure and fondle it. He shrank from anything pertaining to his past and his life was a tiny stream that breaks away from the main course and cuts a groove for itself in some barren waste. For fifteen years Silas lived on, working, saving and shrinking farther and farther from God and everything that men hold dear in this life. God's punishment was showing more and more upon him, turning him from a man to a strange, silent, stunted creature from which people drew back with dread and questioning.

One dark stormy night Silas had some weaving to return to its owner and not wishing to leave it until the next day he started out not bothering to bar his door. When he returned he longed to bring his gold out and enjoy the sight of it. He removed the bricks but the hiding place of his gold was empty. He rose with benumbed senses and searched his cottage in the hope that he had put it in some other place but his search was in vain. His money, the only thing left in life for him, was gone and when the full realization rushed upon him he put his hands to his head and gave a cry of despair and loneliness. To onsiders Silas' life seemed so withered and shrunken that any shock would eliminate it altogether, but in reality it had been an eager life with a great definite purpose that made him forget the wide cheerless world. His very being clung to his money as a support and now that it was rudely and cruelly snatched away there was nothing to satisfy his soul's craving. He did not attempt to renew his work for this only reminded him too keenly of his loss. He sat alone all day grieving and moaning as one in pain. This was a sign that his thoughts had come around to an empty void of cheerless evenings with nothing to occupy his wandering thoughts. Now that Silas appeared in the role or a sufferer many of the villagers came to call upon him and console him but they made very little impression on the grief stricken man.

It was New Year's Eve, and Silas with a presentiment that his gold might come back to him from the unknown, had opened his door to gaze into the darkness. Just then one of his trances came over him and he stood as one dead. As he was thus, a little child whose mother had frozen to death by the roadside, toddled towards the bright firelight and into the weaver's warm hearth. The little one settled itself on an old coat before the fire contentedly. Soon the little head dropped forward, the eyes closed and the baby was fast asleep. When Silas came to his senses he shut the door and turned towards the hearth. Were his eyes deceiving him? He surely saw gold, his own treasure come back to him. He stretched forth his hand but his fingers grasped soft curls. As he studied the pretty baby it thought it surely must be his little dead sister of long ago come back to life. A strange feeling of quivering tenderness swayed through him and as the child awoke with a little cry he stooped forward and gathering it into his arms pressed it gently to him. God had sent Silas another opportunity to correct his faults and Silas almost broken down by loneliness and grief unknowingly accepted it in the form of a little child. No one claimed the child and Silas kept it. He called her Epple after his little sister and no one could persuade him to be separated from her. As Epple grew older and her life and character expaned under the loving guidance of Silas, so the new life and character of the weaver was opening and expanding like a flower which long being downtrodden in the sordid dust is revived again by the sunlight of God. The little child was more to him than life and his very soul was wrapped up in her. People no longer shrank from Silas for the sweet faced little child drew them towards him and made a great circle of true friends for him. Epple had come to replace his money and he considered her a gift from God. Silas went to church with her and slowly his broken faith mended and his faith in God returned. As Epple looked upon the world as a beautiful place full of hope and peace, she taught Silas to look upon it likewise. A change was working constantly in Silas creating a new man, and the human love that he found blessed the world and made everything in life worth while.

When Epple was about eighteen years old her life with Silas seemed almost perfect, they lived so happily together. One night Squire Cass of Ravelve came and claimed Epple as his daughter and asked her to come home with him. If she had accepted his offer Epple would have lived in luxury for the rest of her life, but she twined her arms about the trembling weaver's neck and said she would never leave him. Epple had proved how true her love for her foster father was and this proved the crowning glory of Mariner's life. Blessed by the love of his cherished child, in sympathy with his fellows, and his bosom clear towards God, he lived in daily thankfulness for the blessings enjoyed realizing that man's greatest gifts from Heaven are just the little things of everyday life.

The Careful Wife

How doubly fortunate the man whoseewife on thrifty plans is set! She guards his roll and ties the can to every scheme that hints of debt. The country's full of working men who carry home the chicken feed, and fain would blow in every yen for silly things they do not need. Too often wives encourage men to throw their kopecks to the cows; such females swarm, but now and then we see the other kind of fraus. When Hiram brings his weekly pay; he says, "Matilda Judith Jane, let's go and blow ourselves today; this saving graft gives me a pain. Oh, here be bucks that bravely shine, and here be bones that glow like tin; they are too fair to put in brine, so come with me and blow them in. We'll buy a flivver, new and nice, and all that to our heart appeals, and if I cannot pay the price, my stand-off's good for many wheels." Then says the wife, of Spartan mold, "J. Hiram Jinks, hand me your pay! I think I see you wasting gold that we will need when we are grey! Here is a nickel you may spend take it along and paint the town, but let your foolish twaddle end—your wages will be salted down. And we are both old and bald, we'll have out little bunch of kale, and neighbors will not see us hauled to yonder poorhouse in the vale."—Walt Mason.

A Canadian who wants to knock this country these days should first take a look around the world and decide where he could pitch his tent and be better off.

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PONOKA FARMERS WANT CREAMERY. RAISING $15.000.00

Ponoka, April 24—For some time the farmers of the Ponoka district have done a lot of hard thinking over the recent abolishment of the cream stations and at last they have come to the conclusion that the best way out of the difficulty is to build their own creamery on the cooperative plan. According to estimates submitted by experts it will cost $15,000 to build and equip a creamery capable of handling the amount of cream produced in this district. The farmers have started out to raise this money by selling shares and to judge by the amount already sold the scheme should go through. One local of the U.F.A. subscribed $1,200 in one evening.

Scoutmaster James gave a lecture and lantern slide at the Pleasant Hill school some five miles south of town last week, on "Scouting, for Boys" There was a good turnout of youngsters and as a result a troop of scouts and pack of wolf cubs were formed. To help the Ponoka troop along, Field Secretary H. Lester of the Boy Scout movement addressed a meeting in the public school last week in which he put forward the objects of the scout movement. At present the big obstacle in the way of the scouts is the lack of men to act as scoutmasters.

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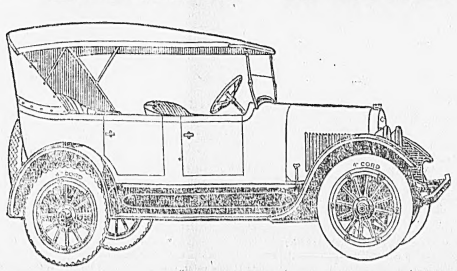
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Regulation of Immigration

The United States is considering a new immigration law. A national committee of 1,500 persons, governors of states, presidents and professors of universities and colleges, members of Congress, editors, economists, social workers, government officials, financiers, manufacturers, physicians, farmers, clergymen, lawyers, teachers, authors, etc., has asked Congress to pass what is known as the Sterling and Valle bill, which limits future immigration of any national or racial group in any one year to ten per cent of the American born children, plus the naturalized, of that group and specifies that it shall not be more than one-fifth of the total population of the country; and the total immigration of all races and nations in any one year shall no exceed three-fourths of one per cent of the total population of the United States. The bill provides also for continuous adjustment of the volume of immigration to changing economic and industrial conditions in America, examination of immigrants before they sail, proper distribution of immigration, and higher standards for naturalization. Only last month the U.S. census bureau issued a statement showing that of the total white population of New York state, 21 years old and over, 39.7 per cent were immigrants, and 13.1 per cent were naturalized immigrants. It is clear that such a percentage of foreign born adults is not a desirable thing, and the United States is wise in seeking to prevent an unlimited flood of immigration, which could only prove disastrous to national ideals.

Our Birds

Some states have inaugurated a Bird Day in order to emphasize the value of bird life to a community. We have, however, already so many 'days' of different kinds, and so many others clamoring for recognition that some of us feel that the matter has been a little overdone. But without setting apart any special day it does seem a fitting thing that both the church and the school should do something to emphasize the value of the gift which God gave the world when He gave us the birds. There was a time when a bird was simply a thing to be shot at, but now even the dullest of us is beginning to realize that the birds are our friends, and most valuable and profitable friends. Long before we recognized their value as an economic asset, we welcomed their cheery song and their beautiful coloring, and now we have come to recognize that they are one of our chief allies in the continual war against insect pests and other foes of the husbandman. Even the quail, which for many years, many regarded merely as an article of diet, is really too valuable a consumer of weed seeds to be shot while most even of the owls and the hawks are now labelled "useful" even if not quite harmless. It is true that the cowbird and the English sparrow seem to have need of justifying their existence, but even a "war of extermination" has so far failed utterly to get rid of them. But apart wholly from their economic value we think our birds provide us with a distinct mental and even spiritual uplift. There are few of us so prosaic as not to thrill at the cheery chirp of the spring robin, and the bright flash of the bluebird's wings in the early spring. They make life better worth living. They add an element of interest to it that affects both young and old, and the home that can entice them to nest near it will have continual reason to say "Thank God for our (and His) birds!"—Guardian.

Alberta Telephone System

Nearly 1,000 cities, towns and hamlets are linked up by the Alberta government telephone system, it is shown in the annual report of the department submitted by Hon. V. W. Smith, minister of railways and telephones. The total assets of the system are shown as $23,000,000. The total gross earnings of the year were $2,406,183, and the sum of $1,558,025 spent in operation and maintenance, leaving a surplus of $848,157, to which are added sundry net earnings of $411,499, making a total of $1,259,656. After deduction of sinking fund, interest, commission and contingencies the net revenue is given as $286,627. The rural revenue was $452,006, the exchange revenue $977,962. Throughout the province there are 54 farmers' companies operating in conjunction with the system.

Lacombe, April 22—The home of E. C. Crocker, a few miles west of Lacombe, was completely destroyed by fire on the evening of Good Friday. Despite the aid of a number of neighbors the home became a total loss in a very short time. How the fire originated is not known, as Mrs. Crocker was absent at the time and Mr. Crocker was visiting a neighbor when it happened. Some insurance was carried on the home.

The Home Goal

There's the mother at the doorway and the children at the gate
And the little parlor windows with the curtains white and straight,
There are shaggy asters blooming in the bed that lines the fence,
And the simplest of the blossoms seems of mighty consequence.
Oh! there isn't any mansion underneath God's starry dome.
That can rest a weary pilgrim like a little place called home,
Men have fought for gold and silver, men have dreamed at night of fame
In the heat of youth they've struggled for achievement's honored name;
But the selfish crowns are tinsel, and their shining jewels paste,
And the wine of pomp and glory soon grows bitter to the taste.
For there's never any laughter however far you roam,
Like the laughter of the loved ones in the happiness of home.
There is nothing so important as the mother's lullabies,
Filled with peace and sweet contentment when the moon begins to rise,
Nothing real except the beauty and the calm upon her face,
And the shouting of the children as they scamper round the place.
For the greatest of man's duties is to keep his loved ones glad,
And to have his children glory in the father that they've had.
So wherever a man may wander and whatever be his care,
You'll find his soul still stretching to the home he left somewhere;
You'll find his dreams all tangled up with hollyhocks in bloom,
And the little feet of children that go racing through the room
With the happy mother smiling as she watches them at play—
These are all in life that matter when you've stripped the sham away.

Why Should You Be Concerned ?

An old man, going a lone highway,
Came at the evening, cold and gray,
To a chasm vast and deep and wide
The old man crossed in the twilight dim,
The sullen stream had no fear for him
But he turned when safe on the other side
And built a bridge to span the tide.
"Old man," said a fellow pilgrim near,
"You are wasting your strength with building here;
Your journey will end with the ending day,
You never again will pass this way;
You've crossed the chasm deep and wide,
Why build you this bridge at evening tide?"
The builder lifted his old gray head,
"Good friend, in the path I've come," he said,
"There followeth after me today,
A youth whose feet must pass this way
This chasm which has been as naught to me,
To that fair-haired youth may a pitfall be;
He too, must cross in the twilight dim—
Good friend, I am building this bridge for him."

Consider the Old Hen

The old hen doesn't quit scratching when worms are scarce!

We'll say she doesn't.

On the other hand, when the pickin's is poor she does more scratching than ever before, going over the back yard with a fine tooth scratcher, so to speak—and more than that—she invades new territory and opens up new fields of endeavor.

How many of us can learn a lesson from the homely hen and when business is bad, instead of waiting for it to pick up again, proceed to do more advertising—more intensive advertising—better advertising than ever before.

And not only that—can't we too, open up new fields—reach out farther with direct-by mail, newspaper and other forms of sane publicity, and, like the old hen, increase our scratching radius? We stand ready with a linotype machine, good presses, paper and ink—and more important yet—the knowledge necessary to operate them, in the successful production of high-class printed advertising. In other words, we furnish the scratcher. Here's to the old hen, long may she scratch. And may we have sense enough to profit by her example.

MENNONITES COMING BACK FROM SOUTH

Regina, April 24—A special dispatch to the Morning Leader from Boston says:

"The Mennonites who left their homes in Canada and who have been building new homes on 2,000,000 acres purchased in the state of Chicuahua, Mexico, will be forced to abandon their new settlement because of intense southern climate and return from whence they came, according to advices received here yesterday.

"The initial start on the return north will commence this coming week.

Stettler will hand over $2,300 collected for the G.W.V.A. memorial hall to the G.W.V.A. executive. The executive will probably invest it in local town debentures, and use the interest for sick benefits until such time as material and labor goes down to enable the amount to build a suitable memorial.

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FIRST C.P.R. FARM SOLD IN WEST

Forty-one years ago last September the Canadian Pacific Railway sold its first farm land in western Canada. The sale was made by W. D. Scott, now assistant deputy minister of the department of immigration and colonization of the Canadian government, who was then an employe in the C.P. land office at Winnipeg. The purchaser was the late Charles Whitehead, father of the present editor of the Daily Sun of Brandon.

The land comprised a section five miles south of Brandon. In the records of the railway it is listed as "Section 3-10-19 W1" and the price paid for it was $2.50 an acre, subject to a rebate of $1.25 an acre for the area brought under cultivation within three years.

Forty years ago Manitoba had 62,260 inhabitants as compared with 613,005 now. Winnipeg had a population of 7,897. Brandon was a group of cabins. Calgary and Edmonton were Hudson's Bay Company trading posts. The Canadian Pacific Railway had reached as far west as Portage la Prairie. A line through to the coast was beginning to be talked of. There was only a handful of pioneers settled on the prairies between Winnipeg and the Rocky Mountains. Only the most daring adventurers crossed the mountains. British Columbia was reached by ship around Cape Horn.

Where the buffalo roamed are today farms and cities. Roaring along the highways where once the ox cart creaked are freight trains with thousand ton cargoes of wheat and merchandise. Schools and churches are in walking distance of every farm house. Telephones link all homes even in the remotest corners of the provinces.

Last year Canada ranked as the third largest wheat grower in the world with a crop of 294,388,000 bushels, 90 per cent of which is grown in the three prairie provinces. It is the fifth largest producer of barley with 63,311,000 bushels of which the prairies yielded 65 per cent. There are 2,998,317 farm animals on the prairies, of which 881,899 are milk cows and dairying is second only in importance to grain growing.

In Haunts of Men For First Time in 38 Years

Winnipeg, April 24—For the first time in thirty-eight years, Rev. Father Beaudet, Roman Catholic priest, is enjoying his first trip to civilization. Father Beaudet passed through Winnipeg on Friday to Montreal, from where he will sail on the Empress of Scotland for France to spend the summer months with relatives.

He left France in 1884 and went to Fort Providence, in the northwest territories, where he has been ever since. He made the trip from Montreal to Brandon, on the Canadian Pacific, and from there travelled by foot and ox cart to Fort Providence, where he has been doing missionary work among the Indians. Father Beaudet speaks very little English, but talks the Indian dialects very fluently. In order to reach the nearest station on the E.D. and B.C. railway, Father Beaudet was obliged to travel over 400 miles, mostly on foot.

Although he is 56 years old the French missionary does not look his age, and was none the worse for his strenuous trip. He will return to Canada in the fall.

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He runs the post and general store,
And surely looks the healthiest.
The other famous salesman
Is Mr. Louis Murray,
He also runs a general store,
And trade is exchanged in a hurry.
Jack Johnson is another man
That keeps things on the hop,
He runs the creamery and pool room,
And also a barber shop.
Next in the comes Mrs. Cole,
She's been there for some time,
She owns the hall and stopping house
Weary travellers think she's fine.
Frank Robbins is a noted man,
He runs the elevator,
And with the help of Col. Denton,
He makes a pretty good debator.
Mr. Tusty is a blacksmith,
His work he loves to face,
But when it comes to fixing Fords,
He's completely out of place,
The lady that runs the restaurant,
Is Mrs. Pat Girard.
Her customers are plentiful,
So she works mighty hard.
Last of all comes three Gwynne dudes
One owns a pretty pony,
Another owns a puppy dog
And the last one has a buggy.
These dudes are very famous,
Their names I will not mention,
But to my readers one and all
I thank for their attention.

—C.K.F.

THE PROPOSED NEW U.S. TARIFF

The U.S. Congress is likely to pass this year the stiffest permanent high tariff bill the United States has ever enjoyed(?) It is expected to raise from 300 to 350 millions of revenue annually while the Underwood law of the Wilson administration raised 200 to 300 millions. The Senate finance committee reported their proposed bill to the senate on April 11.

Taking the agricultural rates as illustration and the item of wheat under that heading as a specific example a fair cross-cut view of the bill is afforded. Wheat under the Payne-Aldrich tariff law and under the Fordney bill passed by the house was made dutiable at the rate of 25 cents per bushel. Under the emergency tariff law passed by Congress a year ago the duty was fixed at 35 cents a bushel. In the senate bill now offered the duty is fixed as 30 cents. This principle is generally followed in the proposed senate bill throughout.

Aside from the fact that the senate bill assesses duties on the basis of foreign instead of American valuation as proposed by the house, thereby necessitating in many instances a considerable increase in ad valorem and specific rates over the house rate, nevertheless it has also generally increased the rates in all schedules. The uniformity with which this step has been taken, beginning with agricultural products and ending with finished manufactured products based on raw materials, many of which are now taxed for the first time, indicates a consistent application of the highest possible duties all along the line.

Compensatory duties on practically all forms of manufactured products is another strong feature of the Senate measure. When based on the initial fact that many raw materials are now taxed by the senate bill which have not borne a duty heretofore and that the manufactured products based on such materials as have been taxed are increased, in many instances, to the Payne-Aldrich rates or higher, it follows logically that the average ad valorem and specific rates of the senate bill are higher than ever before written in a permanent tariff law.

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SALVATION ARMY IN A SELF-DENIAL CANVASS AGAIN

Arrangements are now under way for the Salvation army's annual self-denial week, which in western Canada will be May 7 to 14. The Alberta corps will between those dates, or immediately before them, appeal once more to the general public for support of the varied work being carried on by the army.

The Salvation army is busy throughout the civilized world with an active organization which now extends to seventy-three countries and political divisions. In western Canada its activities are widespread and have a visible influence on the community life of this country. The army numbers some 11,000 corps and depots in world-wide organization, of which 124 are in western Canada. It has twenty social service institutions in western Canada, including women's rescue homes, children's homes, maternity hospitals, working men's hostels, girls industrial homes, and eight free employment bureaus, also a training college.

Altogether the army numbers 1,270 such institutions throughout the world. It is to help maintain these institutions that the army once each year asks the help of the public to swell the self-denial fund, which is raised within its own ranks, during self-denial week.

GIRL RULED BOY THIEVES

Vancouver, April 21—Twenty-three boys and one girl, ranging in age from 13 to 15 years old, constituting what were known as the "Hamilton street gang," and the "Helmcken gang," have been arrested in connection with a series of fifty store and automobile robberies, which have occurred in the last four months. The girl has made a statement implicating all the boys now held.

The girl, say the police, was the "queen" of the gangs, which were organized on the apache style, to satisfy her whims. Numerous confectionery stores were broken into and looted, the thieves making their escape in stolen automobiles.

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COULDN'T WALK TO NEIGHBOR'S

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"WHEAT KING" SMILING ON CHICAGO PIT

Winnipeg, April 24—The Manitoba Free Press carried the following from Chicago:

"The outstanding economic factor governing the trend of the world's wheat prices is Russia, according to James A. Patten, the Chicago wheat king. Mr. Patten asserted that Russia as a grain producing nation has been placed hors de combat for at least three years. 'Jim' is a bull—the big bull, perhaps, in the constantly advancing Chicago market.

"Another reason is the coming scarcity of wheat in the United States which Patten says will make itself felt in May or June, resulting in higher prices.

"The battle-scarred sixty-nine year old retired board of trade operator denies incidentally that he is at present engaged in a bitter pit war with J. Ogden Armour. Reports persistently have it that there is a tremendous holding in the wheat market—that sooner or later shorts in May wheat will find themselves in a tight place. Patten is said to be long, Armour short.

"'Oh, I'm just speculating a little' said Patten, deprecatingly, when asked about these reports. 'I just dip in occasionally. Why, I retired ten years ago.' He smiled—a poker smile it seemed.

"'You don't hear any more talk of dollar wheat,' Patten remarked, eyeing the quotations on the blackboard. 'Russia—Russia is responsible,' he explained. 'Russia is out of the world's market in wheat. She won't be able to get back in for three or four years. We'll feed Russia for the next fifteen months. Before the war Russia was a big factor. She used to export daily 2,000,000 bushels of wheat and 3,000,000 of rye into Germany and Austria-Hungary. That's our business now.'

"'See those figures on the board—800,000 bushels for export from our markets today. That shows Europe is economically dependent upon America for supplies. It will continue to be so until Russia gets back on her feet.

"'I don't expect to see cheap wheat for quite a time. I figure, too, that farmers in the United States have been marketing their wheat heavily. They had to. They needed the money. They had borrowed money and the country banks were pressing them. They haven't the wheat now and that is another important factor.'

"Patten declared there was still another factor—a psychological factor. 'The whole world has been in the dumps some time back' he said. 'Now its different. The world is beginning to smile. The national state of mind has a whole lot to do with prices. Pessimistic people, low prices; optimistic people, high prices. Get it?'

"The famous 'retired' trader paused 'Now I'm optimistic, he said."

Pioneer Speculation

Attention has more than once been called in these columns to the fact that Mr. E. F. Hutchings, of Winnipeg, one of the outstanding business men of western Canada, erected a shack forty-seven years ago on the bank of the river at Edmonton, near where the Macdonald hotel now stands. He had come here, a lad of nineteen, to wash gold. This he did for a year, doing some trapping at the same time. Then he decided to go back over the plains to Winnipeg, but, before quitting his shack, carved his name with a knife on the cabin door. When the first surveyors came through, they saw his name and recognized his rights as a squatter. He was notified that he should register his claim, and in the course of a few years was able to sell it for $27,000, with a cash payment of $10,000.

This story was repeated by Mr. Hutchings in an interview he gave to the Calgary Herald a few days ago:

"Do you know what I did with that $10,000?" he asked. "Well, I put it back into Calgary and Edmonton property. Today I own considerable in both cities, but for one year of hardship and privation and for the foresight I used in cutting my name on the old shack door, I received exactly $960,000 in cash.

"People will tell you that such an opportunity will not come again. That is all rot. There are thousands of opportunities awaiting the man of courage and vision today compared with what I had to contend with forty seven years ago. The fellow who quits because of a few set-backs has no place in this western land."—Journal.

ALBERTA FAIRS IN 1921

A total of 108 fairs were held during 1921, according to the report of Alex. Galbraith, superintendent of fairs. A total of 83 were reported on favorably by the judges. The previous year only 50 per cent were reported favorably. Mr. Galbraith refers to the splendid extension work which has been carried on in the way of short courses and special trains.

PONOKA MENTAL HOSPITAL

The annual report of the Ponoka mental hospital shows that there were 444 male and 254 female patients there at the beginning of the year and that there were 496 male and 280 female patients at the end of the year, there having been 276 admissions and 143 patients discharged during the year. The average yearly cost per patient is $315.49.

The Catholic Women's League will hold a tea, and sale of food, fancy aprons, house plants, and garden plants, viz, cabbages, tomatoes, etc., on Saturday, May 20th, 1922.

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WORLD'S LARGEST SHIP SOON TO BE FLOATED

Old ocean travellers will recall the Majestic of thirty years ago, accounted a greyhound on the New York to Liverpool run, says the Toronto Telegram. Though deemed the last word in marine architecture, she carried little schooner-rig sails, not for propulsion, but for steadiness, which feature linked her with the picturesque days of bellying canvas and wide yard arms. A floating palace of her day, she measured 514 feet in length by 58 feet wide, and registered a tonnage of 9,984. But this leviathan of a generation ago would look like a mere pigmy beside her new namesake of the White Star line. For the present Majestic, soon to take her maiden voyage to New York, measures 965 feet long, carries over 5,000 people, and has a displacement of 56,000 tons. She is the world's largest ship.

Had Germany won the war the Majestic would have been called the Bismarck. For such she was christened when planned for the Hamburg-Amerika line and partly constructed in 1914. But fate decreed otherwise and when the big vessel plows past the Statue of Liberty next month, on her first trip across the Atlantic, the Union Jack will be proudly floating from her ensign post at the stern. The would-be Bismarck was taken over at Humburg and sold by the Allied Reparations commission to the present owners.

Larger even than the Olympic, mysteriously referred to as the "big boat" during the war, and which carried thousands of Canadians safely through the danger zone, the Majectic has nine decks, with an area of 7 1-2 acres. The boat deck towers 182 feet above the keel. She has 1,245 staterooms for her 4,100 passengers of three classes, carries 1,000 servants to operate the ship and fulfil the wants of the guests and is driven through the sea by four turbine engines totalling 100,000 h.p. —the largest power installation ever fitted into a ship.

With passengers, crew, stores, fuel and freshwater aboard the Majestic weighs approximately 65,000 tons. She is five city blocks long, measures 110 feet in breadth and draws 38 feet of water. In a single crossing she will burn 5,700 tons of crude oil. Electric elevators will convey passengers up and down to the various storeys in which their staterooms are located—and when one is feeling squeamish one does not relish climbing stairs in a companionway which somehow always gets that queer ship smell so upsetting to the seasick. Telephones will connect with every room and it is hoped that the rapid development of wireless telephony will presently enable passengers to use a powerful radio on the ship for talking to their friends on shore from mid-Atlantic.

DENSE CLOUD OF WET GAS IS OVER DERRICK

Wainwright, April 25—Wainwright is seething with excitement over a strike reported at the Imperial Oil Company's well at Fabyan, 7 miles west of Wainwright. The strike was made at five o'clock on Thursday morning and it is believed that a heavy flow of wet gas has been encountered.

The utmost secrecy is being maintained and officials of the company absolutely deny to make any statement. The strike, however, was witnessed by several people living in the neighborhood and these eye witnesses state that a dense cloud suddenly shot up over the top of the derrick. The bottom of the derrick was blown into the air and for a time nothing could be seen but a cloud of dirt, rock and gas flying through the air. It is reported that later in the morning the crew succeeded in continuing drilling.

That some kind of a strike has been made is evident from the fact that the government road which runs close to the well has been closed on both sides of the coulee so that traffic will not be endangered.

Wetaskiwin Markets

April 26, 1922

No. 1 Northern	1.15
No. 2 Northern	1.10
No. 3 Northern	1.06
No. 4 Northern	.94
Rye	.57 - .80
Oats	.25 - .34
Barley	.33 - .45
Steers	4.00 -5.00
Cows	3.00 - 4.00
Hogs	11.00
Sheep	5.00
Lambs	9.00
Eggs	.20
Butter	.20 - .25

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The undersigned Auctioneer will sell by Public Auction at his Auction Mart in the City of Wetaskiwin, on

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MILLET

At the fourth meeting of the Quarterly Official Board of the Millet Methodist Mission an invitation to remain a fourth year was extended to Rev. Hughson.

The stewards elected for the year were Mrs. T. Aikens, A. J. Heywood (recording steward), J. B. Christie, J. Dinney, and H. Stuart.

The delegate appointed to attend the district meeting was J. B. Christie, with Mrs. T. Aikens as alternate.

A report of the money raised for the year was given, and a deficit of $516.50 including missionary and connexional funds, was reported. Stewards were authorized to collect amounts promised and to endeavor to wipe off the deficit. The pastor's salary was voted to be fully paid.

A board of management for the Sunday school was formed with the following members, Mrs. Dinney, Mrs. Dowler, Mrs. Heywood, Mrs. Browning and Mrs. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Savalogia of St. Albert paid a most welcome visit to Millet for the 19th anniversary of the Methodist church, and were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Hughson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moffatt have moved into the cottage recently vacated by Chas. Wright.

Mrs. A. J. Heywood brought her daughter, Margaret, home from the children's hospital on Monday, where she has been for some time under a specialist's care. A marked improvement has been made, and we surely hope for a speedy recovery.

A. P. Mitchell has again caught the auctioneering fever, and is booked for large sales in the cities of Calgary, Saskatoon, Regina and Edmonton. Who would not be a real auctioneer?

Very fine assistance was rendered to the pastor on Anniversary Sunday by Rev. G. H. Cobbledick, of Calgary, on behalf of the Social Service, preaching at the morning and afternoon services. Rev. W. H. Irwin of Wetaskiwin, made a very forceful appeal at the evening service to a large congregation who appreciated his earnest and timely message.

The quarterly official board held their last meeting at the church on Tuesday evening. A supper was served the members of the board who attended from the Porto Bello and Hillside appointments.

We regret to learn the sad news of Mr. Alex. McConnell's death at Vancouver last week. Although Mr. McConnell's health has suffered for some time, it was hoped that a change of climate would be beneficial, but the trip was evidently too great a strain upon him, having taken seriously ill on the way. The deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. McConnell in her great affliction.

The services on Sunday next will be held at Porto Bello, West Liberty and Millet. A special meeting will be held to consider the annual election of officers for the Sunday school at the close of the Sunday school.

The pastor and congregation wish to express their hearty appreciation of the special singing rendered by Mrs. Elsie McCracken, of Calgary. Mrs. McCracken who spent the Easter week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dowler, was raised up in the Millet church, having taught in the Sunday school. We are glad to know of her splendid success in vocal and instrumental music.

The Trail Rangers will meet at the church on Friday afternoon.

WRESTLING EXHIBITION

The following is a partial program of the Maxso-Connor wrestling exhibition to be held in the Angus hall at an early date:

Doors open at 8.30.

Dancing, 8.45 to 10.45.

Wrestling 8.45 to Supper, followed by more dancing. Ladies and children up to the 8th grade free. Also the supper will be free.

Maxson's weight, 165; Connor's weight, 167; Battling Nelson's weight 169; Shrapnel Thompson's weight, 167. The committo guarantees this to be one of the best exhibitions ever held in Wetaskiwin. Watch for the date.

NOTICE

In the Estate of JAMES W. SILVER, late of the Village of Millet, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named JAMES W. SILVER, who died on the 12th day of February, A.D. 1922, are required to file with Macdonald & Day, by the 27th day of May, A.D. 1922, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their knowledge.

Dated this 20th day of April, A.D. 1922.

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BIG OIL REFINERY AT CALGARY CONSIDERED BY OIL MAGNATES

Lethbridge, April 23—Gordon Campbell who is in the city, Tom Stout and L. P. Jackson, Montana oil men, announced today that he had actively entered the southern Alberta oil field and that the next ninety days would see extensive development undertaken here.

Drilling will be commenced as soon as the oil structures are worked out, he said. "This country and northern Montana will see great developments this summer," he said. The establishment of an oil refinery in this city or Calgary is a part of the plans of the Montana men, assisted by Alberta capital.

Mrs. C. Thomas, who was visiting in Calgary last week, returned home on Saturday.

The farmers in the southern part of Alberta say that prospects were never better for a bumper crop in that district than they are at present. They say: "Not since 1915 has there been so much moisture in the ground."

EXCELLENT BAZAAR IS HELD BY MILLET W.I.

The bazaar held in Millet on April 17th has proven beyond doubt that whatever the ladies of the Women's Institute undertake they will not stop until they have made of it the unqualified success they sought to achieve.

The many other attractions in the vicinity as well as the adverse weather only stimulated the ladies to greater effort and the fact that nearly $160 was taken in, speaks for this success.

Much praise is due those who so daintily and tastefully decorated the many booths.

The gaily decorated serving booth in which was to be found a splendid selection of dainty lingerie, kimonas, dresses, etc., was ably managed by Mrs. West and her assistants.

The cooking booth, also daintily and attractively decorated, was laden with an array of cooking which for quantity could well compare with a city exhibition and of the well known Millet quality. Here Mesdames Marr, Dowling and Dowdell served all customers.

Next came a breath of spring—the Novelty booth—enclosed by branches of apple blossom and vines of morning glory, where a good selection of novelties and the choicest candy were on display. This booth was in charge of Misses Ruby and Marguerite McLean.

The fish-pond with its artistic colorings was very alluring and often the centre of attraction. Here, tastefully gowned for her summer outing, was Mrs. Rawlinson ready at any moment to take one on a fishing expedition. Mrs. Plante acted as engineer.

Perhaps the most restful and inviting spot in the hall was the much patronized tea room with its tables tastefully arranged behind a hedge of evergreens. Here as elsewhere the many decorations were most pleasing to the eye, and very appleasing to the taste were the delicacies served by Mesdames Wagner and Wright.

From here many wandered to the wig-wam of Yah-ha and Yum-la, and if we may judge by the amount of laughter from that direction their prophecies were of the best.

The dance in the evening, though not largely attended, was enjoyed by all.

The Women's Institute wish to take this opportunity to thank all who contributed towards their bazaar, also those who worked so hard to make it a success, and appreciate very much the assistance given them by some of the gentlemen.

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FOR SALE—Bred Sows and Boars, registered, with pedigree, Verdun Home Pure Bred Yorkshires. We must have the big type of hogs that will mature quickly, and the only way to do it is for each farmer to keep one of my bacon type sows, and another to keep one of my boars. Write for particulars to Jos. F. Says, R.R.1, Duhamel, Alta., Phone 2317, Wetaskiwin. 4-tfn.

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FOR SALE—The property of P. Burns & Co. Limited, fronting on Pearce, MacDonald and Lansdowne streets, in the centre of the business section of the city, consisting of two lots, a solid brick one storey building used for stores, and a building fit for warehouse. For all particulars including terms, apply to E. D. H. Wilkins, Wetaskiwin, Alberta. 31-tfn

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FOR SALE—Two registered Shorthorn Bulls, one 4 yrs old and one calf born April 1921, both red; also White Leghorn roosters, single comb, and Plymouth Rocks, also one Fleury rapid Grinder, 12 inch with bagger. Frank Lucas, Phone R902, Wetaskiwin 39-tfn

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SEED OATS—Garton Leader seed oats for sale. Apply Ogren & Johnson, Phones R208 or R1604. R2, Wetaskiwin. 3-3t.

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SEED POTATOES—Empire State variety, especially suitable for this district. At Lacombe Experimental station they gave highest yield of any variety for 4 years, and head list in 5 year average to 1916. splendid keeper and finest table potato, white; discard unprofitable varieties and get these. Price for quick sale, at cellar, N.E. 15-47-25, 50c bus., f.o.b. Millet or Wetaskiwin, 75c. 10 bus. or over 65c sacked Write or phone H. G. Young, Millet. 5-3t.

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GIRL WANTED—For general house work. Apply to Mrs. E. A. Holbrook, Wetaskiwin. 5-2tn.

COMPETENT GIRL—For general housework; highest wages if satisfactory. C. P. Wilson, R2416, Bittern Lake P.O. 5-tfn.

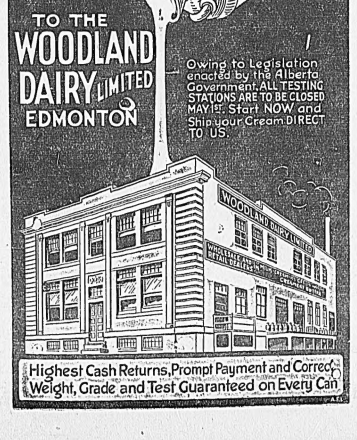
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NOTICE TO CREAM AND PRODUCE Shippers— I hereby make known to you that I am still in the cream and produce business. After May 1st I will handle cream by direct shipment. I am maintaining a building in to which to take your cream, and it will be looked after until train time. I am representing the Swift Canadian Company, of Edmonton and have three trains into Edmonton daily at 10.30 a.m; 2.30 p.m.; and at 7.50 p.m. This, together with the short haul, your cream should get there in good condition. Give me a trial. L. W. Scott. 6-2tn.



WOMAN FELL AND BROKE HER WRIST

Mrs. A. H. Barnard, wife of A. H. Barnard, of the law firm of Barnard & McCaffery, had the misfortune to break her right wrist in a fall Thursday, at her home, 8731 100A Ave. She was going downstairs at the time, and was suddenly seized with a fainting spell, falling heavily. The broken member has been reset, and Mrs. Barnard is resting comfortably. She is being treated at home.—Journal.

Mrs. Barnard is a former resident of Wetaskiwin and her friends here regret to learn of her misfortune.

PLAN AIR FLIGHT TO OTTAWA IN JUNE FROM LETHBRIDGE

Calgary, April 24—Under the auspices of the Lethbridge board of trade an air flight from that city to Ottawa and return is being arranged to start during June.

The object is to show the dominion government the feasibility of an aerial mail route across western Canada, and to increase the interest in civilian aviation. The flight will be made by Capt. J. E. Palmer, D.C.M., and Lieut. H. H. Fitzsimmons of the Lethbridge Aircraft company, limited.

Tenders

TENDERS WANTED—For clearing and breaking 100 acres land situated 2½ miles N.E. of Millet, N.W. 9-48-24; breaking to be done between May 15 and Aug. 1, 1922, good job must be made. Parties with good breaking outfits only need apply. For information apply to P. J. Jordan, Millet. Mail offers to Box 184, Coronation. 6-4t.

TENDERS WANTED—Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday, May 6th, for the erection of a frame school house for Ernest Park S.D. No. 4092. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the secretary treasurer. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. C. T. Lake, Sec.-Treas., R2, Brightview. 6-2t.

NOTICE

Ratepayers knowing themselves indebted to the Municipal District of Montgomery, No. 458, for Hail Insurance, are hereby notified that all arrears must be paid before June 30th, 1922.

E. E. SPARKS,
2-tfn. Secretary Treasurer.

TENDERS FOR LAND

Tenders for the purchase of the North West Quarter of Section Seven (7), Township Forty-seven (47), Range Twenty-three (23) West of the Fourth Meridian, will be received by us, the undersigned up to and including the 7th June, 1922.

All tenders must be lodged with a deposit of Ten (10%) per cent of the purchase money offered, payable by marked cheque or bank draft, and any sale will be made only with the approval of the Registrar of the North Alberta Land Registration District at Edmonton.

Dated at the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 20th day of April, 1922.

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M.D. OF BIGSTONE, 459

Public Notice is hereby given that there has been introduced in the council of the M.D. of Bigstone, 459, a bylaw of which the following is a short synopsis:

Domestic animals shall be prohibited from running at large in accordance with the following schedule:

Class of Animal	Period of prohibition	Area of prohibition
1. All domestic.	entire year	Township 45-25-4th; 46-26-4th; 46-25-4th, & E ½ 47-25-4th.
2. Cattle.	From the first day of November to the fifteenth day of April inclusive.	Whole Municipal District.
3. Sheep.	entire year	Whole "
4. Hogs	"	Municipal "
5. Geese	"	District "
6. All entire Animals.	"	" "

Domestic animals which are not the property of residents shall be prohibited from running at large during the whole year in the whole of the Municipal District.

A copy of said by-law may be seen at the following places: Post Offices of Westerose, Fabun, Brightview, Mulhurst, Bonnie Glen and Patience; Residences of J. Hanson, A. A. Unland, Gus. Hibak, Geo. Westendorf, H. Arnold, Wm. Johnson, R. C. Young, Albert Klone and E. N. Rattray, and further unless within thirty days from the publication of this notice at least thirty resident electors of the municipality petition the council to submit such by-law to the vote of the resident electors of the municipality, the council will proceed to pass the same.

Dated at Westerose, 19th April, 1922

E. N. RATTRAY,
6-1tn. Sec.-Treas.
M.D. Bigstone, 459

MAY FLOAT NEW LOAN SHORTLY

Ottawa, April 24—There is a possibility that the new national loan may be floated this spring, in May or June, but the minister of finance has not yet announced his decision in the matter. Some financial men are advising that the conditions are favorable for a flotation in the near future, instead of waiting until the fall. It is believed that the issue will be by popular subscription and for $250,000,000

On December 1, bonds of $182,000,000 mature, and in addition to that there are some other smaller notes to meet.

EGG DEALERS

We will again draw the attention of all parties dealing in eggs to section 3, chapter 28, of the provincial ordinance, respecting the handling of eggs, which reads as follows:

"All first handlers, whether country merchants, hucksters, city merchants, or produce dealers, shall candle all eggs received by them, and shall reject all unwholesome eggs as described in section 2."

ALBERTA TEACHERS NAME CARR AS THE NEW E.A. PRESIDENT

Calgary, April 24—The next annual meeting of the Alberta education association will be held in Edmonton, it was decided at the meeting held here Friday. A. H. Carr, principal of the Calgary commercial school, was elected president.

Definite action as to the association's attitude towards the new curriculum, after having been set aside earlier in the convention, was finally passed up altogether. The department will be asked to put the new curriculum into effect next September, and accept the teachers' comment upon it during the year. The whole question will then be acted upon at the next gathering in Edmonton.

Among the Alberta teachers alliance members, who also attended the educational association meetings, it was felt that the department had hardly been fair in not having sent copies of the curriculum to them until the day before they left their homes for Calgary. This gave them no time to study it, they said.

Education and the faith in God as the transformer which would prove quite sufficient protection for Canada, and the plea for a wider policy of immigration than has ever been undertaken by the previous government, the only conditions of which should be the willingness of the newcomers to obey that first law of man—work—were the outstanding features of an eloquent address to the convention by Mr. Robert Johnson, of Grace church.

In a striking manner Dr. Johnson painted the great potentialities of this country and said that it should not be guarded by any "Canada for Canadians" policy. He said that he had no fear of foreign immigration. In this connection, he emphasized the great part which the teachers could play in inspiring the peoples of other lands with the ideals of Canadianism. The willingness to work, he thought, was sufficient passport.

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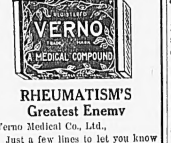
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John Best, a clergyman farmer of the Good Hope district accidentally shot and killed his three year old child on April 21. An inquest was held at Fort Saskatchewan. The father was returning from shooting gophers and had just entered the house when the gun was exploded.



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Edmonton Weekly News Bulletin

Farm manager for the two government farms at Ponoka mental hospital and at the new home for mental defectives just north of Edmonton, have been appointed. S. W. King, of Claresholm Farm, a graduate of the Guelph college, will be manager of the farm at the Ponoka institution, while Neil McKinnon of the Sedgewick demonstration farm will manage the farm near Edmonton. This is in accordance with the policy adopted by the new government at the beginning of the year, of placing all farms in connection with government institutions under the direction of the department of agriculture.

Grasshopper Control

Uniform plans for fighting grasshopper pest are being made between entomologists of the northern States and Canada. A meeting of these was recently held at Minot, N.D., which was attended by H. L. Seamans, entomologists at the Lethbridge experimental farm. An international crop pest committee was formed.

Summer School for Teachers

Announcement has been made of the dates of the summer school for teachers at the university at Edmonton, which will be from July 3rd to August 5th. Lectures will be based chiefly on the new curriculum for the elementary schools which goes into effect on Sept. 1st. next. This will afford teachers an excellent opportunity of becoming acquainted with the new curriculum. Classes will be organized in English, Citizenship, Industrial Art, Music, Writing, Elementary Science, Physical Education, Agriculture and Household Economics.

Cream Grading

A circular is being issued from the office of the publicity commissioner setting forth an explanation of the new system of cream grading and the elimination of the cream buying stations, and the objects of the legislation.

Feeding Tests

On Friday a very interesting Stock Feeders' Day was held at the university under the auspices of the faculty of agriculture, when results of feeding tests in cattle, swine and sheep were given by Prof. A. A. Dowell, professor of animal husbandry.

Natural Resources

Premier Greenfield and Attorney General Brownlee are now in Ottawa conferring with members of the Ottawa government regarding negotiations for the transfer of the natural resources to the province.

Irrigation

Proposals to enlarge the Taber Irrigation District to extend irrigation to about 20,000 more acres in that district are now being considered.

Coal Markets

Readiness of Manitoba and Saskatchewan to use Alberta coal was in evidence at the recent session of the western Canada Fuel association held at Regina, which was attended by Howard Stutchbury, trade commissioner of the Alberta government. A resolution proposed by Manitoba dealers was passed urging the continued and more extensive use of Alberta coal in the Manitoba and Saskatchewan markets. The need of some system of standardization of the Alberta product was however, urged.

Movies

Howard Douglas, chief censor of Motion Pictures for Alberta, has announced that the Arbuckle pictures will no longer be permitted to be shown in the province.

Cooperative Association

The Provost Cooperative Association is now being organized by farmers in the Provost district.

Alberta Butter

High compliments for a shipment of Alberta butter recently forwarded by the dairy commissioner to a produce house in Vancouver, have been received by Mr. Marker.

Test Case on Slot Machines

Another effort will be made by the Alberta government to establish the legality or illegality of slot machines operated in pool halls, cigar stores and other places.

It will be remembered that some years ago the Appellate division of the supreme court held that the keeping of machines of this nature was not a violation of the criminal code relative to gambling. Trend of recent decisions in Ontario, and other provinces, have been however, that these machines are regarded as gambling devices, and their use unlawful.

A new appeal has now been entered by the Attorney General's department with reference to these machines, which will be heard at the April sittings of the Appellate division at Edmonton, in which the whole question of the legality of these machines will be raised, and in case the Alberta court feels itself bound by its previous decision that these machines are legal, it is intended to proceed without delay to the Supreme Court of Canada. It it expected that such an appeal would be heard during May,

Free Freight Stops Soon

No more certificates for free freight on shipments to points in Southern Alberta will be issued after April 30th. This announcement has been made by the department of agriculture, and farmers in the south are asked to take note of this.

Tenders for Phone Extensions

Tenders are being called by the government telephone branch for construction of about 1000 miles of rural line is to be built this year, involving about twenty-five different contracts between Edmonton and Lethbridge. The program involves an expenditure of about $300,000.

Immigrants

Immigrants passing through Edmonton in 1921 totalled 1300 according to reports of immigration officials in the capital. This is in comparison with 1700 in 1920 and 2500 in 1919.

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The city fancier enjoys his companionship at home or in cross country tramps when the Airedale is always busy and ready to find something of interest. If a swim is at hand he is first to enjoy it and stands ready to retrieve anything or if at shore handles himself dexterously in the surf.

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The hunter and trapper have come to find the Airedale a dog par excellence for their life. The lightest movement in an adjoining bush, he hears or detects instantly and he scents game long before one has an idea of its presence. Instances are reported of Airedales staying with big game treed for two days' time, and more, before being found. He is far from quarrelsome to other dogs, is inclined to shun them at work; yet let another dog dispute his right to advance, he is up and at it in a moment. Then his opponent must look to himself, however strong and powerful he may be. The Airedale's jaw of wonderful punching power soon does its work and he will dig ere he turns tail.

At home he is docile in the extreme, fond of children and a good guardian, and obedient to a wonderful degree, which coupled with intelligence almost human makes him a most enjoyable companion. The Airedale being of a very hardy constitution, causes little trouble to his owner during the early stages of his career, and when grown he can stand an unlimited amount of rough and tear work. Altogether he is one of the most useful dogs living and has a personality all his own.—Ex.

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The ten engineers in charge of the provincial government's program of road work for the coming season have been sent out and are now in the field, ready to begin active operations as soon as weather and soil conditions will permit. Under the new system adopted by the department this year there will be no more road foremen, and an entirely new code of instructions for the engineers and inspectors has been drawn up for application in the ten districts into which the province has been divided for road work purposes. The location of these districts and list of engineers is as follows:

1.—The extreme southeast corner of the province, south of the Red Deer river and east of a line running through Legeud, Grassy Lake, Brooks and Duchess. George McMillian will be the resident engineer, with headquarters at Medicine Hat.

2.—The extreme southwest corner of the province, lying south of an east and west line through Nanton, Carmangay and Enchant. H. P. Keith, engineer at Lethbridge.

3.—Immediately north of district No. 2, bounded on the east by the Red Deer river and on the north by a line running through Olds. Headquarters for this district will be at Calgary, with Malcolm Calder, inspector of highways, in charge.

4.—South of a line running along the Battle River and the Neutral Hills and extending west to Sullivan Lake. James McQueen, engineer, at Hanna.

5.—From Olds north to Millet and east to a line through Bittern Lake and Buffalo Lake. E. Ainsworth, inspector of highways at Red Deer.

6.—Between the C.P.R. line east of Camrose and the Grand Trunk Pacific line east of Tofield. L. D. Robertson, engineer, Camrose.

7.—All the territory north of the C.N.R. between Vegreville and Lloydminster. J. A. Morrison, inspector of highways, at Vermilion.

8.—West of Stony Plain, on the Sangeo line and the Stony Plain to Jasper line. H. S. Day, engineer, Edmonton. The portion of the district immediately adjoining Edmonton will be under the direction of engineers on the department staff.

9.—All north of Edmonton between Athabasca and Fort McMurray. D. Eard, inspector of highways, Edmonton.

10.—The northwest corner of the province, north of Lesser Slave Lake. A. H. McQuarrie, engineer, Peace River.

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that I remember," writes Mrs. R. Terrell, of 169, Dorian St., Montreal. "was the time I was crippled with a bad leg. The trouble all started in an ordinary bruise, but in a day or two the injured part became worse, and soon it had developed into a painful open sore. I suffered intense pain, and walking about became so difficult that I had to give it up.

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TEACHERS WILL WEAR A PIN TO INDICATE UNION

Calgary, April 21—A large number of resolutions dealing with important matters concerning the interior economy of their organization was dealt with by the Alberta Teachers' alliance at a session held on Wednesday afternoon, following the regular session of the Alberta Education association. A policy by which the general secretary treasurer, will keep in closer touch with the smaller locals of the alliance was outlined in one of the accepted resolutions. Another resolution was passed amending the constitution of the alliance, to allow former teachers, not now actively engaged with the profession, to be members of the alliance. They will not, however, have the voting powers of the regular members.

A local may now be formed with a membership of three teachers, instead of a minimum of six, as previously provided by the constitution. It was claimed that this provision would tend to increase the membership in the less thickly populated districts, where it is hard for six teachers to keep in touch with one another. The meeting also resolved to work for the formation of a permanent high school teachers' alliance. The alliance decided that they would issue membership cards, instead of the present certificates, and will also adopt a moderate priced pin.

There was a lively discussion in progress when the meeting adjourned on a resolution to the effect that teachers joining staffs late in the year should be charged only a proportion of the regular membership fee when they joined the alliance.

Camrose has an offer for a $60,000 hospital from the Sisters.

"Cap" Hanson, the famous professional baseballer, died at Chicago at the age of 70. His first engagement was with the Forest Citys, of Rockford, Ill., for which he was paid $66.66 a month.

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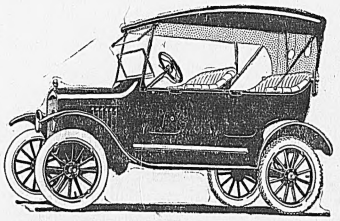
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"Then I will take the grey spotted silk, the hat with the feathers, the pongee coat, the grey shoes and the grey gloves." said Mrs. Sidney, touching each article of apparel with her fingers as she spoke.

The little group of clerks who had been waiting upon her smiled and bowed and wrote the orders in a quick, business-like way.

Constance Talcott, who stood watching, scowled resentfully. This was just the sort of thing that delighted Aunt Marie. She loved to play great lady; to sail into a shop and gather the anxious, obsequitous clerks round her; to order them about while she fussed over colors and fittings and tassels and ruffles; and then to buy royally in the manner of a queen conferring a special favor. Constance turned and looked moodily out of the window. Below her the traffic of the city wove eternally in and out. The continuous wild scramble to gain a place here, a few more feet of ground there, seemed silly. She sighed impatiently; the world seemed all wrong.

A gray silk dress dotted with great green coin spots, a gray hat loaded with feathers, a fluttering pongee coat trimmed with lace, gray shoes, delicate grey gloves—those were the things that Aunt Marie had just purchased for Constance's Easter outfit. Could anything, Constance asked herself, be more outrageously unbecoming to a tall, fair girl who looked her best in severely tailored clothes! She imagined herself and her aunt walking up the aisle of the church on Easter Sunday. Aunt Marie, stout, and rather hot, but all fussy with laces, rustling silk and jingling beads, would walk ahead, smiling with supreme satisfaction in Aunt Marie and all her belongings; then she, Constance, in the grey dress spotted with green, the fluttering pongee coat and the ridiculous overweighted hat would come stalking miserably behind.

If Aunt Marie would only let her choose her own clothes! But no! Aunt Marie must do the choosing, she must play the kindly benefactress. Since she had sent Constance to a fashionable boarding school and had overwhelmed her with luxuries, of all sorts, she probably felt that she ought to have such a small return for her money and attentions as choosing her niece's wardrobe. Constance saw clearly the justice of that. She had learned that there were prices she must pay for being dependent upon a wealthy relative.

"Come Nannie," Aunt Marie called, and Constance suddenly hated the name—it sounded like a stupid, pale-eyed goat or a silly white kitten. "Come Nannie," Aunt arie repeated in her high voice, "I'm going to give you a little treat now. You've been so patient, trying on clothes all afternoon. We'll go to the Faircourt for tea. You'll like that, won't you, honey?"

Constance drew a breath of relief when she and Aunt Marie were at last seated in the automobile away from those hateful bowing clerks who had not been honest enough or human enough to smile when she had stood in front of them, dressed in the ridiculous spotted silk, the pongee coat and the terrible hat. She would have felt like killing anyone who had smiled, and yet she could not forgive them for being such hypocrites. Then she drew her lips tightly together. A good judge of hypocrites, she who had let Aunt Marie think that she liked the spotted silk and the other things. "But I didn't want to hurt her by telling her I hated them" she said to herself dispairingly. 'She's so good to me; I owe her something for it all. Besides she would have insisted on her own choice anyway, because she thinks she is a better judge than I of what I should have." Constance's thoughts went back to the clerks. "Hypocrites? It takes a thief to catch a thief." she told herself.

Aunt Marie chattered away about tea at the Faircourt, and Constance listened dutifully. Presenently they drew up in front of the great gilded doors of the hotel. At any other time Constance would have enjoyed the place, but now in the midst of the lights and the playing fountains, the music and the flowers, she sat moody and preoccupied. Aunt Marie chattered on happily. She was a simple, childlike, gay hearted little woman, and, at least, Constance thought with a wry smile, she was not hypocritical even about her money; she let the world see plainly what she was proud of it. Why should Constance think that her attitude was vulgar? Why wasn't it merely honest?

"Nannie cheer up, child!" Aunt Marie's voice trilled. "You look as cross as two sticks. What's the matter, sweetheart? She leaned across the table and took Constance's hand in her own warm, caressing grasp. "Don't the new dress and things please you?

Constance's resentment melted beneath the genuine, whole souled love in Aunt Marie's eyes. From long experience she knew what her aunt expected of her. "Yes, I love the things, Aunt Marie," she murmured. "It was so good of you to buy them for me."

Then she flushed hotly. She was telling a lie, a downright lie! She continually told and acted and lived lies. Why must she do it merely to please Aunt Marie, to pay for the things Aunt Marie bought for her? She did it for money! Yes, that was what she did it for! If Aunt Marie were poor, would she do it? She knew she would not.

Constance sprange to her feet.

"Why, Nannie, are you ready to go already." Aunt Marie exclaimed. We haven't eaten half of those delicious cream cakes. Did you ever taste better."

"I—Yes. I'm ready to go, Aunt Marie, Constance said unsteadily. "Do you mind?"

"Well, no, perhaps not. I guess you are tired from trying on clothes. You look almost feverish, your cheeks are so red. How I did make those clerks scramble to make the shoes exactly match the dress, didn't I, honey? Your old Auntie wasn't going to let her child appear before the world all unmatched. Aunt Marie's pretty good to her chicken, isn't she, honey?" Her eyes were suddenly wistful. Standing there with her emotional face lifted appealingly toward her tall, frowning niece, while the waiter helped her on with her wraps, she was a pathetic little person.

"Yes, you're good to me," Constance muttered impatiently. "Come—let's get out of this!"

When they were once more in the automobile, she observed that Aunt Marie was quietly and unobtrusively weeping; the tears rolled down her plump cheeks and dripped ridiculously from her quivering chin. Quick pity filled the girl. She loved her Aunt; she loved her honestly, much as she might love a child, and she hated to hurt her. "O, Auntie, dear," she said, catching Aunt Marie in her arms, "don't cry! I don't know why I was so horrid. You are good to me, far, far too good."

Aunt Marie's face beamed through her tears. She clung to Constance warmly. "I'm so silly," she said with a break in her voice. "You didn't mean to be short with me; you're just tired. I'm a goose. But, darling, this old goose loves her Nannie terribly. You're all I have in the whole world; all I have to love and to love me, deary."

In spite of a little unpleasant twinge at the frank sentimentality of it, Constance was deeply touched. "I do love you, oh, very, very much, Aunt Marie," she said softly.

They kissed each other and then were silent as the automobile sped homeward.

"What a hold Aunt Marie has on me" Constance thought as she watched the houses flash by. She shivered a little and wondered how anyone so apparently weak as Aunt Marie could have a hold on anyone. "It's all that hateful money!" she told herself. "I keep thinking that I have to do something in return for what she spends on me, and so I keep telling her how much I like the things she buys me and how good she is to me and how I love her. Of course she is good to me, and I do love her but when I feel that I have to tell her so it seems to take all the genuineness out of it."

That evening Constance hated Aunt Marie's great costly house. The instant she stepped inside she felt as if she were being smothered in luxury. The deep napped carpets clung unpleasantly to her feet; the furniture was absurdly plump with upholstery; the pictures were too overwhelmingly big and gorgeous; the soft footed servants seemed sly and useless and silly. After dinner she went to the music room and sat down to the piano to thrum out her worry and discontent in little runs and abrupt chords. She was so much absorbed that she did not hear anyone enter the room, but, glancing up suddenly, she saw that the boy from next door—Jimmy Lane—was sitting beside the window, listening.

She liked Jimmy; he and she had been friends from babyhood. They had gone to school together, until she went to a boarding school; and he to a technical school; and even then they had kept up their friendship. He had a way of dropping in at Aunt Marie's whenever he liked. Sometimes he would sit by the window for hours lazily listening to Constance play and whistling along with the music. He was frowning now at the runs and chords. "Call that music, Constance?" he asked. "Give us a real piece."

Constance smiled and began to play the popular songs that Jimmy enjoyed; and soon his happy whistle lagged along in response to her flying fingers. At the end of the fourth selection he turned to her. "Well, Constance, I'm going to the city tomorrow to take that job with the bridge people."

"Oh, are you really?" Constance cried.

"Yup. It's going to be great. I think—this going into the world to seek a fortune, being on your own, trying yourself out to see what you're worth." In spite of himself, there was an embarrassed little thrill in Jimmy's voice."

Constance glanced at him quickly. She thought rather absurdly of a picture she had once seen of a knight going forth to battle with the same strong, eager, purposeful expression on his face that was now on Jimmy's.

"Why don't you cut loose, Connie?" Jimmy asked.

Constance started and then frowned uncomfortably. "And starve to death?" she demanded.

"Shucks! Didn't you take a secretarial course there in that highfalutin' school of yours, and didn't you tell me that old Harris of Harris & Binney said he'd give you a position any time you wanted it?"

"Yes," Constance admitted stiffly, as she did not fancy Jimmy Lane preaching at her.

"Well, then!" said Jimmy.

Constance turned her back on him and began to strum carelessly on the piano. Jimmy did not realize that he was supposed to be snubbed. He looked around Aunt Marie's tasteless, and overdecorated music room. It was typical of Aunt Marie. There was a fat frieze all tangled with cupids and bowknots and various musical instruments, a costly but hideous piano, a huge harp that no one ever played, a spidery ivory chair or two, a ponderous upholstered "puff-button" sort of lounge and a great deal of heavy gilt.

"Whew!" Jimmy breathed. "Do you like this sort of thing, Constance?" he asked with a sweep of his hand.

"It's better than starving to death" Constance snapped.

"I'm not so sure of that," Jimmy said slowly.

"O Jimmy, if you're going to preach I'd just as soon you went home!" Constance cried.

"Very well," Jimmy rose; his face was cold with controlled anger. Goodnight, Constance, and goodbye. Probably I shan't see you again for some time."

"Goodbye," Constance replied coolly "I hope you will enjoy yourself seeking your fortune."

His face reddened at the faint note of mockery in her voice, and turning, he left the room.

Constance seated herself again at the piano, and rattled off an angry roulade of false notes. "I was hateful to Jimmy," she murmured, "perfectly hateful."

Her hands came down on the keys in one last wild crash; then she sprang to her feet and ran upstairs to her bedroom. Snapping on all the lights, she stepped to a great full-length mirror. She was a tall, graceful girl with ashy blonde hair, pearly coloring and blue direct eyes. But tonight her eyes were clouded with trouble, and the fussy green satin dress she wore—it was Aunt Marie's choice of course—made her face look sallow and took all the soft lights out of her hair. "What a fright!" she said. "Quite like an orange in a grass-green lamp shade. My dear, with all your drapings and fringes and fluff-doodles you begin to look like an elongated caricature of your Aunt Marie. I'm not sure but you aren't even growing fat. Yes, fat in soul! You say you hate all the luxuries your Aunt Marie gives you, but do you? Do you really? It's my opinion that in secret you simply dote upon them. Yes, you like to be waited on and have your hair done and ride around in automobiles; you like fur coats in winter and the seashore in summer; you like downy, satin covered pillows and breakfast in bed. You're willing to put up with any amount of green spotted silks and fat feathered hats if only you can have those luxuries! O Constance, my dear you aren't a bit the strong, splendid person I used to dream you would be. Do you remember how I used to dream of your striding gloriously across the face of the earth and doing all sorts of wonderful things? Oh, you poor fat souled softy, do you intend going on like this for the rest of your life until you are nothing but a weak hypocritical echo of you Aunt Marie, with your greedy eyes fastened on her money-bags?"

In sickening disgust with herself Constance whirled away from the mirror. Going to her bureau, she pulled out a drawer and disclosed a pile of dog-eared old diaries. Soon she was absorbed in them, and as she read all the old ambitions, the high, sweet dreams of her school days awakened within her. Her breath came fast; her eyes gleamed strong and clear with purpose. Springing suddenly to her feet, she went to the window. In the western sky she could see the white, far spread glow of the city. There, young people like herself were working in strong, clear independence, were honestly earning shelter, food, clothing and whatever pleasures they could afford. Their hearts were leaping to the joy of sharing the big work of the world.

Was she strong enough to break away from Aunt Marie and go out into that world and take up her work? Was she strong enough? Aunt Marie would make a terrible scene. Constance squared her shoulders, held her head high and fairly marched down the stairs to the library where Aunt Marie sat crocheting.

There was a scene; but at the end of it Constance had won Aunt Marie over. The girl told her of her early dreams and ambitions, and Aunt Marie said in a quivering voice, "Nannie, I used to dream of doing great things like that. You'd never guess it now, would you? Yes—I was going to do wonderful things—be a trained nurse and nurse a whole suffering world or adopt an orphan asylum, or have a beautiful voice and sing free for all the poor people in the land. But I soon forgot. It—is rather tragic to forget and—to regret. Go, if you like, Nannie; your old auntie will be heart broken, but I can see that it's for your own good, and Auntie Marie always wants to do what's best for her chickiest!"

It was not easy for Constance to go, it was not easy for her to become accustomed to the routine of work at the office of Harris & Binney; nor was it easy to live in one small bare room in a boarding house. Many a time during the next two weeks Constance came very near running home to the uncomfortable, unworried ease at Aunt Marie's house. But as time went on she grew to like her work and her new life. "I feel so clean," she told herself with a laugh, "and so strong and sure of myself. I think my soul is thinning out to. I shouldn't be astonished if it were already almost as thin as a dinner plate by this time."

Easter Sunday dawned clear and beautiful. Constance went to church dressed in a dark blue suit made on the severely tailored lines that were so becoming to her. She wore a plain black sailor hat, black shoes and white gloves. Though she tried to keep her thoughts on the significance of the day, she was not altogether successful; even the most pious young woman would have thrilled occasionally at the thought that for the first time in her life she was wearing clothes bought with money that she herself had earned.

"These are mine," Constance told herself proudly, "Hitherto the things I wore have been Aunt Marie's, and the life I lived was Aunt Marie's life, fussy, useless, selfish and luxurious like the clothe she bought me. Now I live my own life."—and he smiled at the whimsical thought, "plain substantial and severely tailored I think I'll live best severely tailored."

Jimmy Lane was in church that morning. Though he and Constance had parted in anger, they were glad to see each other. Jimmy walked back to the boarding house with her. "I knew you'd break away from that useless life of yours, Constance," he said; "I knew you were true steel."

That moment was the proudest and happiest Constance had ever known.

They walked on, talking about their work and comparing notes. In the background of the mind of each was the sermon they had just heard. It had been about the opportunities for new ways of life that are forever opening in front of us.

To Constance it seemed that they were both embarked on a new life. She felt happy. When she reached her room in the boarding house, she thought of Aunt Marie—poor, little, lonely Aunt Marie, all alone in her luxury padded house. Constance ran to the telephone, and in a few minutes was talking with her aunt. "Happy Easter, Aunt Marie," she said. Happy Easter!"

"Oh, is that you, Nannie? You have not forgotten your lonely old auntie then, after all?"

"Of course not, Aunt Marie, it's a shocking thing to say over the telephone, but—I love you!"

"Darling!" Aunt Marie cried. There was a happy little pause. Then she added. "O honey, won't you let me send you just one thing—an Easter present? I know you said you wanted to be—what is it—that slang?"

"On my own?"

"That's it. Youn want to be entirely on your own now, but may I not send you this one thing? I bought it yesterday."

"Surely you may."

"Well, its a gold fountain pen, Nannie. I'm certain you'll love it, and it will be so useful. You will like it, won't you?"

"I'll love it!" Constance assured her sincerely, "I'll use it every day."

"O, will you?" Aunt Marie cried.

"I surely will. Oh, there's the luncheon bell, Aunt Marie, Goodbye!"

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TOWN TOPICS

Housecleaning is now the order of the day.

The date of the wrestling exhibition to be held in Angus hall has been given out as May 17th.

Robt. Ward and family left last week for near Evensham, Sask., where they will take up farming.

The Girls' Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. H. J. Montgomery on Friday, April 28th, at 4 p.m.

Mrs. W. H. Irwin was an Edmonton visitor last week, returning home on Monday evening.

The Ladies' Hospital Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. D. Wallace on Tuesday evening, May 2, at four o'clock.

The doctors of Wetaskiwin have purchased an up-to-date X-Ray machine, which will arrive in the city shortly.

The I.O.D.E. Rose Ball, which was to have been held on Tuesday evening of this week, has been postponed indefinitely.

The Scandinavian Ladies' Hospital Aid will meet on Tuesday afternoon next at 3.30, at the home of Mrs. Ed. Bye. Everybody cordially invited.

Wetaskiwin Lodge No. 1776 I.O.L. are holding a dance in the Parish hall on Thursday evening of next week. Invitations have been issued.

Miss Alen Johnson arrived home Saturday last from Tacoma, Wash., where she spent the winter. She expects to take a position as stenographer in Calgary soon.

Misses Vera Lawson and Frances Alexander returned on Monday morning to their studies at Mount Royal College, Calgary, after spending the Easter vacation with relatives here.

The W.C.T.U. will hold a rummage sale on Saturday, May 20. Any cast-off clothing will be called for before that date by notifying any of the members.

The Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday school will hold a rummage sale on Saturday, April 29th, in the building south of the U.F.A. store, formerly used as a restaurant.

The Girls' Choir of the Knox church are holding a tea and sale of plants and candy on Saturday afternoon, May 13th, in the school room of the Presbyterian church.

Pat Turner left last week for the Toronto market with five carloads of hogs. They were very choice, and no doubt he will do well by the experiment.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Liversidge had the misfortune to fall while playing on Saturday and have her arm broken. She was taken to Edmonton for X-Ray examination.

The Methodist choir will hold a late tea at Mrs. H. C. R. Walker's, Criterion Apartments, from 8 to 10 p.m., on Friday, May 5th. All, especially the gentlemen of the city, are cordially invited.

Thomas Andrew, who recently returned to Edmonton from England, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fraser. Mr. Andrew went to the old country a couple of years ago to retire, but he found the conditions there were not pleasing to him, and he returned to the sunny province of Alberta.

The C.P.R. inaugurate their summer schedule on Sunday next. The only important change on the C. & E. line will be the early morning train from Calgary, which will leave Wetaskiwin for Edmonton at 6.55, instead of 6.30 a.m. as at present.

Rev. G. H. Cobbledick, of Calgary, conducted the service in the Methodist church on Sunday evening and gave a very interesting and instructive discourse on the work of the Social Service Council. While in the city he was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Stevenson.

Anthony Johnson returned last week from Toronto, where he accompanied ten carloads of choice hogs. He says the trip was quite successful, as he found a ready market, with the result that the firm of Johnson & Johnson intend to make another shipment in the very near future.

The entertainment to be provided by J. W. Bengough on Wednesday evening of next week will doubtless be one of the best ever given in this city. Mr. Bengough ranks as one of the best entertainers on the continent and there will be a rare treat in store for those who hear him.

Mr. English, publisher of the Airdrie Record, spent a few days of the past week a guest at the home of J. Horne, east of the city. Mr. English is greatly impressed with the beauty of the Wetaskiwin district, and was delighted to learn that the settlers here were so prosperous under their system of mixed farming. He paid The Times a friendly call on Tuesday.

When the different broadcasting radio phone stations in Alberta commence filling the ether with talk laden waves of electricity, J. J. McCoig, of the Mutual Oil and Gas Co., does not intend to take any chance of missing much of it, as he has placed an order to equip his Oldsmobile car with a high grade radio receiving set as soon as it is possible to obtain the apparatus.—Camrose Canadian.

STRATHCONA MEMBER TAKES PART IN HOUSE DEBATE

In a discussion on agricultural exhibitions in the federal house on Thursday last, Mr. Warner, member for Strathcona, spoke as follows:

"I want to correct the statement of my hon. friend from Saltcoats (Mr. Sales) in regard to exhibitions. I have been a director of the Edmonton exhibition for something more than twenty years, and I have yet to learn that the grants from the Dominion treasury go to paying for flying machines and midways. We have not been in the habit of spending our money in that way; it has been put into the prize list and has gone directly into the farmers' pockets. I am in accord with a great deal of what my hon. friend has said regarding the condition of farmers, but I do not believe we will improve their condition very much by cutting off these grants. The midway promoters have to pay a certain amount to the exhibition authorities for the privilege of holding their shows in the exhibition grounds and no money is paid those promoters to add their attractions to the exhibition. I am not justifying the midway but I want to correct the statement that grants from the Dominion treasury are paid to midway promoters. Neither do we pay for flying machines out of those grants; that expense is met out of other funds. Understanding these agricultural conditions as I do it would be a mistake to reduce the grants made to them. In fact, I think the grants are far too small. There might be some room for argument as to how much benefit these fairs are in a general way to agriculture, but we want to discuss this matter from the point of view of bettering agriculture. To my mind agriculture has been largely benefitted by these exhibitions.

"It certainly does promote the breeding of better live stock by the neighbor of a farmer who is able to show good stock and gain prizes, for naturally that neighbor wants to be able to equal if not surpass his friend's record. I want to leave that idea with hon. members, that we are not paying these exhibition grants out in any foolish way. I am thoroughly familiar with what is done at Edmonton and other places, and I do not want any misunderstanding to prevail as to how the money is used. If the hon. member from Saltcoats knows that these grants are improperly used in certain places, I have no fault to find with him for calling attention to such misuse, but if he would come to Edmonton he would find that we devote these grants exclusively to the furtherance of agriculture."

Pincher Creek District Farmers Forming Pool

Pincher Creek Alta., April 24.—Wheat board or no wheat board, farmers in the Pincher Creek district are preparing to have a pool of their own. At the meeting of the Pincher Creek U.F.A. district association here plans for the formation of a general farm products pool were materialized, and the provincial board of directors instructed to proceed with arrangements for incorporation under the provincial co-operative association act.

It is proposed to handle all farm produce under the pool system according to grade. Trustees are to be appointed by the several U.F.A. locals of the district. Whether membership will be restricted to members of the U.F.A. has not been definitely decided.

Each member must bind himself to sell his produce to the pool for a period of five years. Delegates from the different locals attending the meeting reported that the farmers throughout the district were very much in favor of the plan.

Shares in the pool are to sell for $5. One per cent of the gross sales will be set aside for extension purposes.

A musical and dramatic entertainment will be given in the Parish Hall on Friday, April 28th, at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of Immanuel church. 2t.

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Time for Trains at Wetaskiwin will be

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Daily Daily Dailyex.Sun
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Edmonton-Saskatoon-Winnipeg Daily
No.51 Ar. 5.30a.m. Lv. 5.40a.m.
No.52 Ar. 11.30 p.m. Lv 11.35 p.m.

Edmonton-Hardisty, Daily Ex. Sunday
No.527 Ar. 10.25a.m, Lv. 10.30a.m.
No.528 Ar, 7.50p.m. Lv. 7.55p.m.

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District Passenger Agent
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TOWN TOPICS

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Christopher was taken down with pneumonia this week.

Construction work on the foundation of the Sims-Brown Co. new garage was started this week.

J. D. Cowan is making arrangements to run a motor stage daily between Wetaskiwin and Camrose.

Will the council proclaim a "Clean Up Day" this year. Many parts of the city would be improved by a thorough cleaning up.

Mr. Hutchins, of Estevan, Sask., inspector of the Bank of Montreal, is in the city paying an official visit to the branch here.

Miss Redden and Gwyneth and Claire Williamson were visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Conn in Edmonton last week.

Mr. Klyft, of Edmonton, who has been spending several days in the city visiting his brother, F. G. Klyft, returned home on Wednesday.

The At Home under the auspices of Wetaskiwin Lodge, No. 8, I.O.O.F., on Friday evening was a most enjoyable affair. After playing "500" and the serving of refreshments, dancing was indulged in.

R. M. Angus has a hen which believes in doing things in a big way. Last week she laid an egg which measured 7¾ inches by 6¼ inches. This we believe, is the largest egg produced in the city and district this spring.

The Sunday school class of Mrs. A. Rodell will offer for sale all day on Saturday, April 29, in the Economy Meat Market, a large variety of slips from house plants. Among the slips will be Begonias, Geraniums, Ivy, Cactus, Shamrocks, etc.

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Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
The Pastor will preach.
Sunday school and Adult Bible class at 2.30 p.m.

IMMANUEL CHURCH
Sunday, April 30th—
Evening Service at 7.30 p.m.
Hymns: 44, 88, 471, 601.
Sunday school, 2.30 p.m.

KNOX CHURCH
Sunday, April 30th—
Public Worship at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
Sunday school and Young People's Bible Class at 2.30 p.m.
You are cordially invited to be present at these services.
Rev. J. M. Pritchard, B.D.

SALVATION ARMY
Sunday, April 30—
Farewell meetings will be held in the Salvation army hall for Captain Gain, who has been stationed here since August, and is now leaving for work in India.
Morning Holiness meeting, 11 a.m.
Sunday school, 3 p.m.
Salvation meeting, 7.30 p.m.
On Friday, May 5th, Colonel McLean from Winnipeg, will visit Wetaskiwin and have charge of the night's meeting. Everybody invited.

COMMUNICATION

(We do not necessarily endorse the sentiments advanced by this or any other correspondent under this heading.—Ed.)

To the Editor, Times:
Dear Sir:

Where is Gopher Lane, referred to in your issue of last week? Is it anywhere between Pleasant Prairie and Rosary? Judging from the names used, we are of the opinion that it is in this community, and we think the name "Gopher Lane" is a libel on the district. We have one of the best in the province and the name would imply that we are run over with the little pests. But we have no more of the little creatures than many of the districts—possibly not as many as some. Therefore why such a name? Why not call the community Pleasant Vista Lane—in fact, any name but "Gopher Lane." Yours truly,

A Resident.

BUSINESS LOCALS

***Ladies, get your hose at the Gift Shop and save money.

***A. C. Bunney still has some choice Red Clover Seed for sale.

***40 piece Tea Set of Balmoral china to clear at $18.50—a snap—at the Gift Shop.

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***I am prepared to furnish information in regard to country, resources, and opportunities to secure land by purchase or homestead for the country traversed by the Lacombe North Western Railway extension northward towards Edmonton. Call Phone 256, P.O. Box 252, Wetaskiwin, A. C. Bunney. 5-2tn.

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